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NOMINATION IS VOID.

So Declared Judge Wheaton in District Attorney Case.

NO VACANCY IS EXISTING.

Holds That Appointment of C. E. Mills, Esq., by Judge Fanning Lasts Until January 2, 1905—Opinion in Brief.

The opinion of Judge Wheaton in the matter of the exceptions to the nomination papers of Charles M. Culver for the office of district attorney to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frederick K. Stephens, was received Friday afternoon. Judge Wheaton finds for the remonstrants against the nomination papers. His opinion in condensed form is given as follows:

"I adopt, therefore the construction of the Act of 1850, apparently adopted by Judge Fanning in appointing the present incumbent, and am of opinion that his appointee is entitled to hold the office of district attorney of Bradford county not only until the next general election, but until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

"Briefly summarizing this opinion, which from necessity has been prepared with more haste than I like, the eighth objection to the nomination papers is sustained upon the legal proposition involved, (1) Because upon the facts conceded and my construction of the Act of 1850 and the Constitution of 1873 there is no such office as therein designated to be filled at the next ensuing general election.

"Second: Because upon my construction of the Acts of 1893 and 1897 nobody is entitled to make a nomination either by certificate or by nomination papers for an office which is not to be filled at the next ensuing election, and a certificate or paper attempting to do such a thing is merely the expression of an ultra vires act, and is wholly void.

"Third: It is within the power and duty of the court to decide that question in this proceeding, because expressly conferred by the Act of 1897.

"The eighth objection is sustained and the nomination papers are decided to be wholly void because filed by parties not entitled to file the same."

In the opinion Judge Wheaton first considers whether the certificate or paper objected to was filed by parties entitled under said act to file the same; and then whether the same are or are not defective. The judge holds in the first place that there was no such vacancy as Mr. Culver claimed and that the plain purpose of the act affecting the case is that the appointee shall hold until the next general election and until his successor shall have been elected and duly qualified.

The judge says that if Mr. Culver's claims were correct then during "the term to which Mr. Culver seeks nomination and election, to wit, the interval between the general election of 1904 and the first Monday of January 1905, he would be powerless to act, even though he were elected. During that same time, for like reason, no one elected generally at the November election as district attorney for Bradford county could act, and if Mr. Culver's attention is correct the present incumbent could not act."

The decision of Judge Wheaton will prevent Mr. Culver from going on the ballot as the Honest Government candidate "for the office of district attorney to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Fred K. Stephens." The only way now that Mr. Culver can be voted for at this election will be by writing in his name on the ballot.

The Arguments.

Judge Frank W. Wheaton of the Luzerne county court came to Towanda to hear the matter on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The objectors were represented by Lilley & Wilson of Towanda, and United States District Attorney McCarrell of Harrisburg. Mr. Culver's attorneys are I. McPherson, Esq., and R. A. Mercur, Esq.

Judge Wheaton arrived in Towanda a few minutes after 3 o'clock and the case was taken up at 3:40. There was a large attendance of lawyers and citizens interested. Mr. McCarrell, in his opening contended that no vacancy exists in the office of district attorney in Bradford county, and that the nomination papers filed by Mr. Culver are defective in not being properly vouched for. Mr. Culver's attorneys admitted the facts of Mr. Stephens's election, his death, and the appointment of Mr. Mills to fill the vacancy. The records of the prothonotary's office were offered in evidence, and the certificates of nomination of both the Republican and Democratic parties for the coming election for the office of district attorney.

Several of the men who had sworn to the vouchers on the several sheets of the nomination papers were called and examined. They testified to making affidavit to the signatures and other facts set forth not of their own knowledge but on information furnished by Mr. Culver.

Mr. McCarrell in his argument took the ground that the nomination papers show upon their face they are not designed to fill any office to be voted for in this county at the coming election; that no right is given by the constitution or any act of assembly to electors to fill a vacancy in any county office. Vacancies must be filled other wise as the law provides. He quoted the act of May 3, 1850, and contended that it empowered the court to appoint until the term of the regularly elected officer should begin on the first Monday of January.

Mr. McPherson in his argument for Mr. Culver's position took the ground that the court was only empowered to fill a vacancy in the office of district attorney until the general election, and that it is requisite and necessary under the law to elect a person to fill the vacancy from Nov. 8 to Jan. 1, next. He characterized as ridiculous the claim that a person seeking a place on the ballot by nomination papers would be required to have his vouchers personally acquainted with the signatures of all the signers.

Mr. Mercur also cited numerous cases bearing upon the matter, and argued that Mr. Culver was strictly within the requirements of the ballot law.

BRANN—REGAN.

Pretty Wedding Celebrated at Church of SS. Peter and Paul.

A pretty wedding occurred at the Church of SS. Peter and Paul Wednesday afternoon of last week when Thomas R. Brann of Canton was married to Miss Josephine Regan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Regan of North Towanda. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. James Foster, the new assistant at the church, and was his first wedding in Towanda.

The bridesmaid was Miss Margaret McEligott of Penn Yan and Edward Brann of Canton, a brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were J. A. and M. J. Regan, brothers of the bride. The bride's gown was very prettily made and was of white crepe de chine, trimmed with chiffon. She wore a white hat. The bridesmaid wore a gown of green albatross. She also wore a white hat and carried carnations.

After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the Regan home at North Towanda where a reception was tendered at which the immediate families were present. Mr. and Mrs. Brann will take a short wedding trip after which they will reside at Canton where Mr. Brann is engaged in business. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brann are attractive and bright young persons and have a host of friends who will wish them happiness and good luck in their married life.

CLEANING UP TOWN.

Street Commissioner Will Co-operate With Improvement Society.

Much favorable and just comment has been made by strangers and by the people of Towanda for the thoroughness that characterized the efforts made by all citizens in cleaning up the town at the time of the firemen's convention.

It has been thought that before Winter sets in if one more rally could be made and all the streets and gutters cleaned, it would be very desirable. To this end arrangements have been made with Commissioner Bentley to remove all refuse, leaves, etc., from the streets if the citizens will gather it in heaps ready for him to take away next week.

So the Village Improvement makes this appeal to every one in the town to do all they can this coming week to help along the good work.

DIED FROM FOOT BALL.

Waverly Boy Overexerted Himself in Practice Game.

Thomas Donnelly, a Waverly young man, died Monday morning from over exertion while practicing foot ball on the previous day. Donnelly with several others engaged in violent practice and afterwards Donnelly went home. Early in the evening he began spitting blood but he did not consider that anything serious was the matter with him and retired without telling his family anything about it.

Monday morning it was found that he was very weak and a physician was summoned. He found Donnelly's condition was critical. The overexertion had ruptured a blood vessel and the right lung was completely filled with blood. The young man was bevond aid and died about an hour and a half after the doctor was called.

Mansfield Safes Cracked.

Safeblowers visited Mansfield early Friday morning and cracked two strong boxes, securing $150 in money, checks and postal money orders. The safe in the officeof coal dealer A. R. Decker was first blown open and later the safe of Warren Rose, in his stockyards, was cracked and the safe blown through the side of the building. No clue was left by the burglars.

HEARING OVER CHILD.

Judge Fanning Hears An Interesting Suit.

GIVEN TO ITS GRANDMOTHER.

But Little One Is to Visit Relatives In This Section a Few Months Each Year—Grandmother Lives in New Jersey.

An interesting hearing was had before Judge Fanning Thursday in a habeas corpus proceedings to determine who is entitled to the custody of Alice Buck, the three years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Buck, both deceased, and a rule to strike off a decree of adoption granted by Judge Fanning a few weeks ago. After the death of Mr. and Mrs. Buck at Newark, the child resided with its grandmother at that place. The child's own mother was before her marriage, a Miss Lee, who lived in North Towanda.

The little one came here last Summer to visit relatives of its mother, and while here Miss Nellie O'Connell was granted a decree of adoption by the Bradford county court. Later the grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Buck, living at Newark, began proceedings to obtain the custody of the child and have the decree of adoption vacated. This resulted Thursday in Judge Fanning revoking the decree of adoption and giving the custody of the child to its grandmother at Newark with the condition that the child's mother's relatives may visit the child and also may have the little one live with them a few months each year.

The little girl over whom the hearing was held is a pretty child but not strong. Both Mrs. Buck and the relatives of the dead mother are cultured people and both love the little one who has been left without parents so early in life. The case is a pathetic one, but the disposition of the court will no doubt reconcile the relatives and give the child loving care from both its kindred in New Jersey and those in this county. Lilley & Wilson appeared for Mrs. Buck, and C. M. Culver, Esq., of this place, and Judge A. A. Vosburg of Scranton, appeared for Miss O'Connell. This is the third hearing over the custody of children to come before Judge Fanning within ten days.

ADDRESSED WOMEN'S CLUBS.

State President Miss McKnight of Pittsburg Here.

Miss McKnight of Pittsburg, president of the State Federation of Women's clubs, addressed the Towanda Musical society and the Wednesday club last week Wednesday at Miss Lillian A. Mercur's on Main street. Miss McKnight has been visiting a number of places in the eastern part of the state, meeting with and addressing the various clubs with a view to learning the needs of the clubs that she may successfully carry out the duties of her office and that she may bring the several parts of the state in harmony.

There are now some 13,000 members of women's clubs in this state. The ability for successful work in upbuilding the highest interests in the state in this splendid organization of clubs is easily seen. One phase of women's work that Miss McKnight spoke of which is of great general interest is that of the welfare of children. The federation has taken a decided stand against the employment of child labor, especially in unhealthful places and at unreasonable hours.

She told of the excellent work in Allegheny county in regard to juvenile prisoners. There the money for the pay of probation officers is raised by the women's clubs. Among the benefits of the federation of clubs mentioned by Miss McKnight and spoken of in detail were: Power, inspiration, information, perpetuation, altruism and helpfulness. Her talk was very much enjoyed. Miss McKnight is serving the first of her term of two years as president of the state federation and is most enthusiastic in her work and in praise of the state of Pennsylvania.

GETTING BALLOTS READY.

Commissioners Clerks Are Busy at Work on the Big Task.

Fred R. Prince and W. G. Gordon of the county commissioners office are busy at work preparing the ballots and election papers for distribution throughout the county. The county is divided up into nine trips of about 40 miles for the round trip, and the papers are carried and given over to the proper officers personally.

This year there are 16,267 persons registered in the county and as the law requires that the same number of specimen ballots and 75 official ballots for every 50 registered voters shall be printed, this means that there are 16,267 specimen ballots for distribution and 24,386 official ballots. None of the specimen ballots are allowed to be given out until election day.

PARENTS AWOKE TO FIND LITTLE DAUGHTER DEAD.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warner of College Avenue, Grief Stricken.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warner of College Avenue, awoke Tuesday morning to find their pretty five months old daughter dead. The little one lay in the same bed with its father and mother and at 12 o'clock in the night had been given its bottle. The parents awoke at about 6 o'clock and the mother took the little one up and changed it over to the other side of the bed. She noticed that the child's face and head was somewhat cold but did not realize that the little one had passed away during the night.

Dr. C. M. Woodburn, the family physician, was summoned at 7:30 in the morning but when he arrived there the body of the infant was stiff in death and its face had blackened from the settling blood. The little one was a bright and pretty child but had always been frail. It weighed only three and a half pounds at birth. Of late it had a slight cold and the parents state that on Thursday it had a choking spell. They think that the child either choked to death or became strangled during the night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner are grief stricken over the death of this, their only child. Mr. Warner is employed as a blacksmith by the Loetzer Valve & Manufacturing company. The family moved from Court street to College avenue but last week. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment at Pail Factory.

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting Will Be Held at Troy on Nov. 11 and 12.

The annual meeting of the Bradford County Educational association will be held at Troy on Friday evening and Saturday, Nov. 11 and 12. The annual election of officers takes place at this meeting and every teacher is urged to be present. Friday evening Rev. Dr. M. S. Goodshall will deliver his lecture entitled "Diamond Dust."

The program for Saturday morning is as follows: "Correlation of the Subjects in the Graded and the Ungraded Schools, "J. C. VanVechten; "Teacher or Text Book—Which:" Ruby Saxton; "The Need of Better Teaching in Reading," E. A. Bingham; Question Box.

The afternoon program is: Address, Rev. E. P. Morse; "How to Keep Pupils in the High School," J. H. Humphries; "The Relation of Biography to History in the Intermediate Grades," Nelle M. Black; "The Use of Current Events in Connection With the Courses of Study," Archie Woodward.

MILITARY WEDDING.

Former Towanda Young Man to Marry Omaha Bride.

The announcement has been made of the approaching wedding of George Elmer Owen, a sergeant in Troop M Sixth Cavalry stationed at Fort Keogh, Montana, to Miss Georgiana Elmira Magee, daughter of William Magee of Omaha, Neb., which takes place November 30. Sergeant Owen is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Owen, of Athens. The family lived at Towanda previous to their moving to Athens. He enlisted in June, 1900, and was sent to Fort Sheridan, Ill., and then to the Phillipine Islands returning to the United States in August, 1903, and being stationed at Fort Keogh since his return.

Their wedding will be a military one and they will make their home in Fort Keogh for a short time, and afterwards will return to Athens to make their future home.

SILVER WEDDING.

Enjoyable Occasion Held at East Smithfield on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riggs were happily surprised on entering their house last Friday to find a self invited company of 50, who came to congratulate them on reaching the silver millstone of their wedded life. Nine of those who witnessed the marriage 25 years ago were present at this anniversary, some being prevented by sickness, some by distance while others have pased on to where "there is neither marriage nor giving in marriage."

The venerable Rev. A. Tilden, who performed the marriage ceremony was present and made a brief address which was both humorous and touching, closing with a presentation on behalf of the company of a beautiful silver tea set. Two napkin rings were a present from himself.

Lace Factory.

A company is being formed at Wyalusing for the manufacture of lace and embroidery. The plant will employ a force of upwards of 50 hands and it is said that the stock is largely subscribed.

Sudden Death.

Clark McMahon,, who for many years lived on the old Dewey place in Armenia township, died very suddenly at his home in Troy on Thursday morning.

GROUT BILL REPEAL

Dairymen Alarmed Over the Possibility of It.

RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED.

Account of Interesting Meeting Held Recently at Litchfield—Hon. F. N. Moore Made an Address—Text of Resolutions Adopted.

At a regular meeting of the Litchfield Dairymen's association, held on the evening of Oct. 25, for the purpose of counteracting the proposed repeal of the Grout bill which places a tax of ten cents a pound on colored oleomargarine, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of the Litchfield Dairymen's association, most emphatically protest against the repeal of the Grout bill.

Resolved, That we request all farmers and dairymen of Pennsylvania, and especially of Bradford county, to take an active interest in the matter as it so materially affects our individual interests and if repealed will strike a death blow at one of our principal industries.

Resolved, That we request the farmers and dairaymen throughout Pennsylvania to write personal letters to our United States senators and congressmen, urging them to use every effort in their power against the repeal of the Grout bill.

Resolved, That we demand a public expression from our candidates for Congress before they can expect our support at the polls.

Resolved, That the thanks of this association be tendered to the North American for its fearless advocacy of the interests of the farmers and dairymen of Pennsylvania, and also to Dr. B. H. Warren, dairy and food commissioner, for the manly and persistent fight he has and is making against fraudulent food products.

The meeting was addressed by Captain F. N. Moore and the members manifested a lively interest. W. F. Cooper was president, and Charles Drake secretary.

CANNIVINO—SISTO.

Italian Wedding Celebrated in Great Form at Sayre.

Mary Sisto and Michaele Cannivino were married Monday morning in St. John's church at South Waverly by Rev. Father O'Reilley and Goncentto Gull was bridesmaid. The bride and groom received in the afternoon at the home of an Italian friend on the east side and this evenng there will be a celebration of the nuptial event in which viands to suit the Italians taste and much American beer will be dispensed free to those who go to wish the bride happiness and congratulate the groom.

The man and woman were youthful lovers in the land of the stilletto and when he had been in America long enough to procure a modest amount of money, he sent for the woman. She arrived here about three weeks ago and since that time there have ben active preparations made in the Italian colony for the wedding.—Athens News.

A Little Hairpulling.

May McClure of Llamoka made a complaint before Justice Meredith last week charging another woman named Pearl Northrup with making an assault upon her, with striking her, choking her, pulling her hair and "doing her grevious bodily harm." Before the justice the defendant pleaded guilty and upon payment of costs the justice suspended sentence.

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INDEPENDENT TELEPHONE LINES CONNECTED.

Connections Made at Monroeton With New Albany Company.

The extension of the Bradford County Telephone company's independent line has been completed to Monroeton, and connection made there with the line of the New Albany Telephone company. The first commercial message over this connection was sent on Wednesday afternoon of last week from New Albany to Camptown. Work on the extension of the Bradford County company's line to Franklindale to a connection with the rural lines running to Leroy and Canton, is being pushed and will be completed within a few weeks.

Manager Gardner states he will have 15 phones in Monroeton and on the line between Towanda and that borough.

NEW SNOW PLOW.

Of a Different Type From Those in General Use.

A new snow plow arrived in Sayre, consigned to superintendent R. W. Baxter of the Lehigh, for use on this division. The plow is of a different type from those in use on the road in the past.

The new plowin manufactured by the Russell Car & Snow Plow Co., of Ridgeway, Pa. It is not a rotary, so that it has no engine in the interior. It is made of pine and the front is partly covered with iron. When the plow is shoved against a drift or a filled cut the front scoops the snow and turns it to the right at the same time it is being elevated. On top of the plow is a small observation room in which the man who handles the plow stands. Easy to his grasp are several levers which control the air pumps and valves. At the sides of the car are wings and the operator, by the use of the air, is able to shove these wings outward, and they hold back the snow that has ben thrown out.

THE LEHIGH VALLEY.

September Satement Shows Decrease In Earnings.

The gross earnings of the Lehigh alley R. R. Co., for the month of September were $2,501,869, a decrease compared with September of last year of $201,784. Operating expenses were $1,458,462, a decrease of $62,157. Net earnings from operations were $1,043,407, a decrease of $139,627.

For the first three months of the fiscal year the gross earnings of the railroad company were $7,468,733, a decrease compared with the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year of $718,855; operating expenses, $4,342,902, a decrease of $220,290; net earnings from operations $3,125,831, a decrease of $498,465.

Annual Birthday Party.

The annual birthday party for Mrs. George Schwoerer, Manley Bird and Robert Hill of Burlington, was held this year at G. H. Hill's on Oct. 28. A sumptous supper was served and the evening spent in games and visiting. Next year the occasion will be celebrated at Mrs. B. B. McDonald's.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Happening in Many Towns Hereabouts.

WATKINS HAS ISSUED BONDS.

New Magazine is to Be Published in Binghamton—Owego Attorney in a Bicycle Accident—Hat Company Wishes to Locate at Corning.

Sayre wants natural gas.

Montrose hopes to have an electric fire alarm system.

The Wellsboro Carriage company is doing a fine business.

Roseville, near Mansfield, has just suffered a fifty thousand dollar fire.

William Searles, a young Owego boy, had his left arm broken while playing football.

The Danbury Hat company is seeking for a location for a factory and retail store at Corning.

Postmaster Rumgay of Arnot, is convalescing from an attack of typhoid fever of two months' duration.

The Father Mathew society of Elmira has decided to put another base ball team in the field next year.

An Ulster correspondent says that apples are being sold in Smithfield at the rate of 20 bushels for one dollar.

A new magazine is to be printed at Binghamton to be called The Knocker. The editor will be J. E. Scudder.

The Dispatch confidently predicts that in less than two years the population of Galeton will reach the 5,000 mark.

For the first time during his 14 years as chief of police of Athens R. J. Mulligan has been confined to his home by illness.

Watkins, N. Y., has issued bonds in the sum of $20,000, the proceeds to be used for the construction of a municipal lighting plant.

District Attorney Glezen of Owego, was thrown from his bicycle recently and had his left arm and wrist badly bruised and sprained.

The football game at Mansfield, Saturday, between the Mansfield and Canton teams was won by the former by a score of 5 to 0.

Members of the Mitchells Mills Grange, Tioga conty, which boasts of the largest membership in the county, have organized a brass band.

A man by the name of Mood from Sayre is in the county jail, having pleaded guilty to defrauding a Mrs. Green out of a board bill amounting to $18.

Thomas Dean, a well known merchant in Nichols, has sold his stock of Goods to Frank Sherman of Covert, Pa., who will take possession December 1.

Thomas Lewis of Plymouth, married but three weeks, was killed by the cars at Plymouth. He was 62 years of age. It is thought that he committed suicide.

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Happenings in the County

Gathered by Special Correspondents In Many Towns

POWELL.

The social and reception at Guy Northrup's, Tuesday night for the new pastor, Rev. L. L. Wilcox, was well attended and a very enjoyable time had.

J. B. Dickerson left on Friday for Newark, N. J., where he has a good position in a wholesale grocery house.

Miss Beatrice Casslebury of Towanda, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Place.

Mrs. Delos Dubois of Athens visited friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Reynolds of Ralston spent the past wek with her parents here.

Miss Inez Fairbanks has returned from a stay of several days at Granville and Burlington.

A graphaphone belonging to Mrs Bessie Montgomery on which she had been selling chances was awarded to Charles Hollenback on Saturday night, 17 being the lucky number.

Mrs. H. A. Benedict returned home on Sunday after a stay of three weeks at R. J. Bevan's at South Burlington.

Mrs. G. B. Griswold entertained a number of friends from Towanda and Monroe on recently. The company were entertained with cards.

Ned Benedict went on Saturday to Laceyville to stay a few days and assist his aunt, Mrs. Miles Fuller, whose husband was recently drowned

For Sale or Rent.

Farm situated 1½ miles West of LeRaysville boro containing 155 acres—55 in timber. A pleasant home in good state of cultivation. Adapted to both grain and grazing. If not sold by Feb. 1, 1905 will be for rent. Also house and lot for sale in LeRaysville boro. For particulars inquire of L. A. Bosworth, LeRaysville Pa. 22septf

CAMPTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chaffee entertained about 40 young people Saturday evening in honor of the birthday of their son, Roland.

William Hammerly entertained a company of young people very pleasantly Wednesday evening.

M. C. Newton of Wilkesbarre has been a guest at William Hammerly's the past week.

Mrs. A. C. Hammerly has for he guests Friday, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Armstrong, Mrs. Myrtell Stevens and Myron Armstrong of Huntington, L. I.

Miss Carrie Coburn entertained the young people at a Hallowe'en party Monday evening.

P. A. Smith was in New York buying goods last week.

Margaret Fuller has accepted a position as clerk in Smith Bros.' store.

The Pie social held in the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening, was well attended and all report a good time.

The ministerial meeting was held in the M. E. church Monday and Tuesday. The ladies served dinner and supper in the hall Tuesday to all those attending from a distance.

Miss Belle Gilliland was given a surprise party by her school friends Wednesday evening.

TERRYTOWN.

Prayer meeting at J. H. Schoonover's next Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hoffman returned last week from a visit with friends in Athens and Sayre.

There was an enjoyable old fashioned apple cut at Guy Baker's Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Humphrey just lately returned from a visit with friends in LeRaysville and Warren Center.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schoonover returned last week from a visit with their sons in Athens and Towanda.

Mrs. J. H. Kinne of Wyalusing and Misses Ruth and Maud Kinne of Waverly were guests of Mrs. E. H. Capwell Saturday to dinner.

Mission circle will meet with Mrs Louisa Terry Friday afternoon.

Young People's society will give a poverty social at the hall Friday evening.

GHENT.

Mrs. Clayton Horton, who has been so seriously ill, is reported a little better.

P. L. Bidlack has finished building a large commodious barn and is now treating the same to a coat of paint. When completed it will be one of the largest and finest in this section.

M. D. Towner is building a new shed to increase his barn room.

Miss Mary Young has returned home after spending a few weeks at Ulster.

Mrs. Florence Wright is spending a few weeks at E. O. Horton's at Quarry Glen and Miss Anna has gone to Towanda to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orin Boyce has removed to Sheshequin where he has a rural mail route that starts from Ulster.

Cheap Rates Still on the L. V. R. R.

Every Wednesday the Lehigh Valley will sell a round trip ticket to St. Louis and return for $17, good to leave on No. 1 fast express train leaving at 3:02 p. m.

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LEROY.

W. H. Card of Sylvania was in town Saturday night and installed the following officers of the LeRoy I. O. O. F.: N. G., Ralph Blowers; treasurer, H. K. Mott; secretary, S. B. Morse.

County Superintendent H. S. Putnam visited some of the LeRoy schools last week.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve a chicken pie dinner election day, at the church. Men, now is a grand opportunity to come to election and bring your wife and family and get your dinner.

Miss Ethel Mott of Canton was down to her grandfather's last Saturday for a visit with relatives from Emporium.

Mrs. Charles Coon is very sick.

It has been well said: The Grangers of this place have always had the free use of either church to which they have been welcome to hold Pomona Grange and etc. Then, too, they having no sheds of their own, have always had free use of the churches sheds. Now, the question rises is it just and proper to charge the church one dollar an evening for the use of the grange hall?

A Startling Test.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of North Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at Turner's drug store.

NEW ALBANY.

John Allen has moved his family from his home on Main street to his farm at Evergreen. Burnley to the Allen house, L. C. Allen to the house located by Burnley recently purchased by Allen.

The auxiliary supper served on Thursday evening netted $17.50.

Mrs. F. H. Arey is visiting her daughter in Kingston this week.

John F. Viall of Ricketts is removing his family to this place.

Leon White has returned from Towanda very ill.

Mrs. J. S. Weed and Mrs. Terry, who were in a runaway accident at Wyalusing some time since, are now able to be out.

Lloyd Harshberger left on Saturday for Bradford where he expects to remain.

Mrs. Frank Carter is entertaining her brother Sturdevant of Elmira.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gulledge of Verbena, Ala., was nice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c, at Turner's drug store.

SPRINGFIELD.

Rev. Mr. Hughes of Troy, preached at the Baptist church Sunday a. m. Rev. C. T. Frame of Knoxville, Tioga county, occupied the pulpit in the evening.

Laura Ward is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Roby, at Leolyn.

Mrs. Esther Kenyon is spending a few weeks at Pittsburg.

Howard Furman is having a new barn built. Covill, Leonard, and Dubert of Big Pond are doing the work.

WEST WARREN.

Mrs. Frank Wilson is spending this week at her father's, H. Beeman's on the Valley Road.

Joseph Allyn, wife and two children from near Warren Center, spent Sunday at H. J. Whitaker's.

The chicken pie supper was well attended. The quilt was drawn by Mrs. Jacob Folk. Mrs. G. M. Jillson and Mrs. George VanWinkle each drew a sofa pillow. Net proceeds from quilt and supper was $47.

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at Turner's drug store.

SOUTH GHENT.

Thomas Bustin finished husking his corn on Saturday. He husked 450 bushel from three acres.

Mrs. Ira Murphy of North Rome is spending some time at Oscar Shores's.

Lemuel Post is very ill with stomach trouble.

COLUMBIA X ROADS.

Mrs. E. L. Horton will open millinery parlors at Snederkerville Nov. 5, in Mrs. Stewart's house.

Spencer Gernert and Miss Hattie McClure of Austinville were married last week at Austinville church by Rev. Mr. Huff.

German Gernert is reported being very ill at New York city.

Lou Benson was quite badly injured while working on a hay press last Tuesday.

New Jersey gives the country its best sweet potatoes and peaches and its meanest trusts. We can never forget New Jersey.

Water, which is both food and drink for the soil, has been found in Georgia, phosphoric acid being held in such solution as to make the water a valuable fertilizer.

Speaking of valuable crops, here is the hop crop of Oregon, 87,000 bales of hops worth $4,400,000, employing 40,000 people to gather them and returning the growers about $500 per acre.

Prices of common staples have undergone a change. Potatoes have dropped in price from $1.50 per bushel to 35 cents, while flour has gone up from $1.10 per sack to $1.60. Pork and beans remain the same.

Last winter there was much loss of valuable fruit trees by the field mice girdling them. The only sure way to prevent this loss is to take a sharp hoe and clean away all grass and weeds from round the base of the trunk of the tree for a distance of two feet. It is a good idea to hill the tree up four or five inches with earth. Thus treated the mice will let your trees alone.

It is not likely that even the most destructive and wasteful of man's work will ever seriously decrease the supply of our deep sea fishes. Scientists who have studied the habits of the cod tell us that there are to be found each year not less than 278,000,000,000 impregnated cod eggs in the waters of each square mile of the cod fishing banks off the coast of Norway.

Perishable as is the wood of the pine tree when exposed to the elements, the stump and root of the tree is of the most enduring character. Long after the stumps of all other varieties of timber have rotted in the cleared timber lot the pine stump holds its own with a grip and tenacity most discouraging to the landowner. This is explained by the presence of a large amount of resinous compound to be found in the roots of this tree, which acts as a preservative.

An interesting exchange of farm and garden products goes on each season between the north and the south. The south sends the north early vegetables and fruits two months before they can be produced in the north, while in the fall the south makes a good market for northern grown apples, potatoes, cabbages and other garden products. It has come to pass now that there are about two months only when this sort of food is scarce or high priced in the north—January and February.

The lands in Holland reclaimed from the North sea are worth from $400 to $500 per acre, and yet they are mostly used for dairy purposes. That such high priced land can be so used is explained when we note the average production of the cows kept on the dairy farms, the average yield of milk per cow being 7,296 pounds and the butter yield 321 pounds. The average butter product of the cows of Minnesota and Iowa, two of the best dairy states in the Union, is less than 150 pounds.

The English sparrow is a good type of a majority of the immigrants which the country is now receiving from abroad—clannish, scrappy, dealers in garbage, prolific to a degree, centering in the towns and cities, unattractive in appearance and builders of crude nests and homes in cornice, church ivy—a vagrant and unregenerate lot. This raking Sardinia, Arabia, Bulgaria, Italy, Hungary and other degenerate European principalities with a fine tooth comb to get citizens for this country at a first cost of only $7.50 per head is about worked to a finish.

The first year's work on the Panama canal will be devoted to changing the local conditions of that most unhealthy place so that it may be possible for white men to live there. A permanent supply of pure water is to be secured; transportation arranged to enable the workers on the canal to be removed each day to the highlands to sleep. A complete system of sewerage is to be installed and every step taken possible to secure a perfect sanitary environment. Up to this time the canal has proved one vast grave for humanity. The best talent of the country is working on this problem.

The man with an irrigated farm located in some section of almost perpetual sunshine has almost a cinch in an agricultural and horticultural way. The long list of risk and uncertainties which beset the farmer in the regions where dependence is placed on natural rainfall are removed from him. The destructive winds, the hailstorm, the alternate flood and drought, the unwelcome early and late frosts, all the result of atmospheric disturbances, are unknown in these lands of perennial sunshine. Then the securing of his crop of whatever sort in a perfect condition becomes an absolute certainty. His agricultural religion is one based purely on good works, while with the other it is based on faith and works, often mostly faith. The one is doing business on a cash basis, the other on credit.

THE LEVELING PROCESS.

The natural forces of nature nearly all have for their objective point the leveling of the earth's surface. The frost crumbles and disintegrates, the floods wash the hills, while the rivers bear the precipitate to ocean and lake and build up the fertile deltas of our great rivers. The avalanche and the winds are ever planing down the highlands. Give nature sufficient time and she will reduce the surface of the earth to a level plain. On a minature scale and as a part of the great work this leveling process is at work on every farm of a rolling or hilly topography, which it should be the care of the owner to prevent as far as possible. The furrowed hillside cornfield, the buried hills of corn at the base after a July storm, represents a definite money loss to the owner of the land, for the rushing waters will leave the rocks and tough, sterile clays and only carry off the humus and best plant food. The owner of a farm of rolling acres has ever this problem to face, not so much how to increase the fertility of his soil as to preserve that which it possesses. We have before said that any land having an elevation of thirty-five to forty-five degrees should never be used for crops which have to be cultivated during the season of June and July of the north part of the country. Such lands should be kept in a rotation of small grain and grass and the steeper hillsides used for forestry. When from two to four inches of water will fall inside of an hour, as is frequently the case in the territory referred to, the soil cannot absorb it, and it is bound to seek an outlet and work loss.

If a prolific summer is the forerunner of a cold winter, better lay in an extra supply of fuel this fall. Nuts, cereals and fruits were never more abundant.

The foreigner is slowly appreciating the value of American corn as a food product. The demand for it increases year by year. The day of fifteen cent corn is gone never to return.

Somebody has figured it out that there is more nutriment in a quart of skim milk than a quart of oysters, but the knowledge of this fact will not cut down the rations of the calves and the pigs.

The grape reaches its finest development in California. Near Santa Barbara is a grape vine the stem of which is fifty-four inches in circumference and which has yielded ten tons of grapes in a single season.

It used to be claimed that the west could not produce as good a quality of sweet corn as Maine, which state for many years took the lead in the corn canning industry. This is now changed. The western packed corn occupies first place in the markets of the country.

The lumber interests of the states of Washington and Oregon paid two of the transcontinental roads during 1903 the enormous sum of $22,500,000 for freights on their products, this sum being over one-third of the entire freight receipts of the two roads. The freight on a car of lumber from that section looks like about $350 by the time it arrives in the central west.

There is a rugged beauty about the oaks possessed by no other of our forest trees—a sturdy, storm defying, independent type of forest life which makes them to other trees what the Norseman is to the Italian or Hindoo. They meet the oncoming winter in a khaki uniform and sturdily dare the wintry blasts to do their worst. Slow of growth and long lived, they typify the pioneers of the country.

The small farm solves many problems. It gives a man good neighbors and better social and church privileges, it secures better schools, rids one of the hired help nuisance, compels more intensive systems of agriculture and a more intelligent rotation of crops, brings better highways and compels the keeping of only the best grades of domestic animals. Most men have too much land for their own good and for the good of the country at large.

There are a lot of men in the west who will harvest seventy bushels or more of fine corn to the acre this fall, and it will not be the result of luck with them either. These men should be made to come to the farm institutes this winter and tell just how they were able to accomplish this result, and the fellows who only raised twenty-five or thirty bushels an acre should be rounded up and made to hear the story. If more corn is ever raised it will not be by planting more acres, but by increasing the yield.

Hemp, tobacco and cotton have worn the very life out of much of the best of southern soils. These plants are a soil robbing triumvirate and, working in conjunction with winter rains on plowed and unfrozen fields, have brought the land to the point where, like the old dray horse, it refuses to work any more. Nature will in a measure remedy this evil if let alone, for she will quickly clothe these barren fields with a growth of forest, and in a hundred years from now a new generation and, let us hope, a wiser one may again cultivate the soil with success and profit.

In this land of plenty it is hard to realize that one-tenth of the people of Great Britain go to bed hungry every night. This may be good for their livers, but it is mighty tough on their stomachs. How would you like to be an Irishman with a wife and ten children and have to ask a blessing three times a day over a dish of praties boiled with the skins on and a pitcher of sour skim milk? No dyspepsia or patent medicines there. If a bit of meat can be got occasionally it is saved for the old man, while the kids are given the privilege of seeing him eat it. Too much fasting and prayer for us.

THE POWERS OF THE AIR.

There is one Biblical reference to the devil in which he is referred to as the prince of the powers of the air. It has never been wholly clear just what this means. We can understand how the old chap could properly engineer a hailstorm, a tornado, a drought, a blizzard, a flood, a late frost or a lightning stroke, but there seems something wrong in crediting him with the manipulation of the great arc light of the universe, the sun, with all its beneficent work, with the sweet breath of the south wind in springtime, as the begetter of these halcyon October days bathed in purple haze and lingering lovingly reluctant to make way for the snow and the bitter cold, for the radiant beauty of a June day when the earth, like a bride, greets her master, the sun. But perhaps it is not meant in this way and just in an allegorical sense refers to his command over the evil spirits of the air. But should it mean more man is ultimately going to beat the devil and largely wrest from him control of these great natural forces. Irrigation is finpounding the flood waters and converting an annual disaster for some localities into an immeasurable blessing for others. The mysterious magnetic currents of the upper ether are being seized as messengers to do man's bidding, the sun is made both fuel and stoker for engines in California and Sahara, while the riotous wind is being harnessed and made the useful and obedient servant of man. Man will more and more dispute with his satanic majesty the control of the powers of the air and little by little will surely wrest it from him, and, save as the old fellow may from time stick a fork into the cogwheels and make a wreck, he is to have little to do with controlling the natural forces and powers of the air.

BALKY SOILS.

The experts in soil physics want to get to work, and right away, too, and let the farmers know just what is the matter with these drained lands which will not grow crops after they are reclaimed. An immense amount of drainage and reclamation of swamp lands is in progress at the present time, and many men after spending a lot of money in this line find that for some reason the reclaimed soils are not productive when planted or sown to our common field crops. The common muskeg slough or swamp, with water and rat houses, bordered by a growth of flags and bulrushes, these edged by coarse marsh gasses, very often proves a very refractory proposition when the attempt is made to crop the drained and reclaimed land. There is evidently either too much of some particular soil constituent or a lack of some essential element of plant food. These soils seem to be lacking in nitrogen and in an experimental way where it has been tried, nothing seems to improve them so much as a good liberal application of barnyard fertilizer. Still we all want to know just what ails them, and we trust the matter will receive the attention it deserves at the hands of our soil experts. It will facilitate this investigation if the farmer having such trouble will send a sample of the soil to the agricultural college of his state.

THE FARMHOUSE CELLAR.

The cellar at the farm home is in winter sometimes a hard proposition, filled full of roots and vegetables, some of them decaying. It is not a health promoter for the family living over it. The family cellar should be cemented and drained if necessary. Cabbages and turnips, the two most odorous of our vegetables, should not be kept in it. An outside root house should care for them and all large stocks of other things which it is desired to hold over until spring. There is a direct connection between badly kept cellars and well kept cemeteries which it is not best to forget.

When one gets a field of brome grass he has got a stayer, something which will stick by him closer than a poor relation. We lately examined a three acre brome grass meadow, or, rather, what was one last year. The owner desired to plow the field and use the land for other crops. Such a mass and tangle of tough fibrous roots as the plow turned over is seldom seen. This field was dragged and pulverized with a disk two or three times during the summer and was finally hand raked to get the roots out of the soil. In October, after working at it all summer, the field was in fair shape for another crop. The lesson we got from this is that you don't want to sow the Hungarian brome grass unless you want it for a permanent meadow or pasture, for it seems to possess all the devilish devices for multiplication, for extension, of tenacity of life and resurrection possessed by that miserable pest, quack grass. For permanent pastures and meadows and in all the semiarid sections of the country it is all right, but evidently has no place in common with clover and timothy as a grass rotation crop.

TOWNER.

Charley Murphy of Litchfield is visiting his brother Wilson of this place for a few days.

Mrs. Lester Forbes has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. George Whalen, and son from the west for a few days.

A Fortunate and Grateful Woman.

Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Everett, Pa., says: "I suffered for many years from Kidney and Gravel trouble. The pains from the gravel was simply awful. No physicians or medicines at home did me any good. I finally began using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y. A few words tell the result. I am a happy and perfectly well woman once more.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in Towanda postoffice for week ending Oct. 18, 1904:

Ladies' List.

Buley, Mrs. J. M., Case, Mrs. Valeria.

Gentlemen's List.

Beltz, J. C.; Brien, M. O.; Feidt, D. W. W.; Kellogg, Guy; Kennedy, Jas.; Lyon, J. H.; Northrup, Mark; Pinckney, L. W.; Ross, Ernest; Smith, J. E.; Terry, R. B.; Tuttle, B. H.; Warnes, W. B.

Persons calling for any of the above will please say "Advertised," giving date of list. If not called for in two weeks they will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

All the mail matter should be addressed to street and number to insure prompt and correct delivery by carriers. Matter not so addressed is often detained on that account.

One cent due will be collected on all advertised letters.

D. M. Turner, P. M.

Lehigh Valley Railroad.

In effect July 31, 1904.

TRAINS LEAVE TOWANDA AS FOLLOWS

EASTWARD.

1:57 a m, daily, Express for Allentown, Bethlehem, Philadelphia and New York and principal intermediate stations

7:00 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:04 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

7:05 a. m., daily except Sunday, Washington St. Station 7:10 a. m.) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations via Bernice with connections for Williamsport and Satterfield

9:14 a m, daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

1:03 p m, daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:33 p. m., daily, Black Diamond Express for Wilkesbarre, Philadelphia and New York.

5:22 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p m,) Local for Wilkesbarre and intermediate stations on main line.

5:30 p. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 5:38 p. m.) Local for Bernice, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

11:04 p. m., daily, express for Wilkesbarre, Bethlehem, Easton, New York and principal intermediate stations.

WESTWARD.

1:24 a m, daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a m, daily, Express for Buffalo and to West.

5:55 a. m., Sunday only from Washington street station (upper station 6:00 a. m.) Local for Sayre.

6:30 a m, daily except Sunday from Washington street station (upper station 6:25 a m) Local for Sayre, Owego, Auburn and intermediate stations.

10:50 a m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:40 a m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:02 p m, daily, Local Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit Chicago and the West.

5:00 p. m., daily, Black Diamond Express for Ithaca, Rochester and Buffalo with connections for Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit Chicago and the West.

7:26 p m, daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p m,) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to local ticket agents.

ULAH. S. LEE,
General Passenger Agent.

Susquehanna & New York R. R.

Time Table in Effect June 5, 1904.

EASTWARD				STATIONS	WESTWARD		
a m	a m	p m			a m	p m	p m
10 05				Lv. V. Station		1 15	3 45
9 00	11 30	6 00	Ar.	Towanda Lv	7 00	1 20	3 40
9 50	11 18	5 50		Monroeton	7 09	1 32	4 02
9 46	11 14	5 44		Powell	7 12	1 37	4 07
9 41	11 09	5 39		Weston	7 16	1 41	4 11
9 33	11 00	5 30		Lemeka	7 22	1 51	4 20
9 30	10 57	5 27		Lone Valley	7 24	1 53	4 22
9 25	10 50	5 20		Barclay	7 30	2 00	4 30
9 18	10 43	5 13		Laquin	7 37	2 07	4 37
9 09	10 35	4 55		Cold spring	7 54	2 24	4 53
8 48	10 14	4 41		Wheelerville	8 06	2 35	5 05
8 43	10 07	4 33		Elkenton	8 12	2 42	5 12
8 33	9 59	4 25		Hillsgrove	8 23	2 51	5 21
8 00	9 30	3 55		Ralston	8 50	3 20	5 50
7 10			5 50	Williamsport	10 00		6 50
	8 48			Canton		4 08	8 21
	8 19			Troy		4 26	8 46
	7 30		Lv.	Elmira Ar		5 13	9 35

a m	a m		STATIONS.	a m	p m
6 10	9 40	Ar.	Ralston Lv	7 50	5 10
6 41	10 06		Roftines	7 24	4 44
6 59	1021		Williamson	7 06	4 26
7 25	1050	Lv.	Grays Run Ar	6 40	4 00

Trains run weekdays only. Connections are made with the Lehigh Valley at Towanda and Monroeton, and with the Northern Central at Ralston.

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S. T. HAYT, JR., General Manager.
Williamsport, Pa.

Physicians.

S. M. WOODBURN, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence, Main street, second house south of Episcopal church. Towanda, Pa.

Attorneys.

I. MCPHERSON, Attorney-at-Law. Office a few doors north of the Ward House. General law business carefully transacted.

J. C. INGHAM, Attorney-at-Law, Towanda, Pa. Office over Citizens National Bank, corner Main and Bridge streets.

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PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

BOYS TORTURE A COMPANION.

Factory Inspector in a Down State District Has Ordered Chairs for Female Silk Mill Operatives—Miniature Coney Promised at Pittston.

Game and Fish Warden O. H. Dimmick has placed in Marsh creek, near Ansonia, about 400 yellow perch fry from the state hatchery in Erie.

The Tioga County Savings and Trust Co., now have over $300,000 on deposit, this amount having been reached on Saturday. The company is only a little over a year old.

While condemning indescent dancing, the Rev. O. H. E. Rauch, pastor of Zion's Reformed church at Stroudsburg, put himself on record as follows: "Let the church that has no dancers throw the first stone; it cannot be a sin to skip to music when one is happy."

The owners of Rockey Glen, near Pittston, have within the past few days secured additional attractions for next summer. The Seven Grottos, which were at Coney Island during the past summer and the L. A. Thompson scenic railway, now at St. Louis, are among the features for which contracts have been made.

Mrs. Edward Fisher, of Rushtown, narrowly escaped being gored to death by a bull, and was only saved from a terrible death by her husband who succeeded in driving off the bull with a club. Mrs. Fisher was knocked to the ground a number of times and sustained a sprained arm and several severe bruises.

Seven boys of Franklin, Pa., tied a companion to a stake and then set fire to leaves under his feet. The victim finally succeeded in breaking the rope but his hands and face were black with smoke. The boys were arrested but released with a reprimand by the alderman.

The instructors of the Berks county teachers' institute advocated the use of newspapers in the public schools.

The new lace mill at Lehighton, owned by local capitalists, will be ready for operation soon.

Mrs. Maggie Lambert and daughter Annie, the latter about 16 years of age, were placed under bail in Wilkesbarre to answer four different charges of shoplifting.

Two hundred thousand miles afoot since January 1, 1860, is the remarkable record made by Francis S. Suayberger, of Monino, Lower Schuylkill county. Mr. Suayberger kept a dairy of his daily walks from January 1, 1860, to January 1, 1880, and in that period he tramped 67,000 miles.

The mountains near Wilkesbarre are being overrun with hunters and game is getting scarce.

The Antnracite Brewing company's plant in Scranton was completely destroyed by fire on Thursday morning entailing a loss of $70,000 with only $15,000 insurance.

The state W. C. T. U. convention is in session at Bloomsburg.

Dog poisoners are engaged at work in Pottsville.

Justice of the Peace Thomas Bitting of Ambler is 87 years old.

Congressman Littlefield spoke at a Republican mass meeting at Scranton on Thursday night.

It was reported that Northumberland county taxpayers would urge the county auditors to surcharge the county commissioners about $7,000 which it is asserted the officials lost to the county by issuing $180,000 worth of bonds to a Philadelphia firm at 4 per cent, when, it is said, a York concern offered a much higher bonus.

An actress with a vaudeville company showing at Pittston took a dose of wood alcohol and narrowly escaped death. There was a bottle of whiskey on the table with her and it is supposed that she took the wood alcohol by mistake.

While fighting a fire in his kitchen Pardon Lewis, an aged man of Benton township, Lackawanna county, dropped dead from heart disease.

Mrs. James Kennedy of Coatesville was badly injured at the Broad street station at Philadelphia the other evening by a rush of a number of University of Pennsylvania foot ball players.

Both Rev. and Mrs. Richards Howells of Lima are preachers and have recently been conducting a very successful revival. They were formerly Salvation Army workers.

Joseph Quinn, factory inspector for the York district, has ordered the proprietors of all the silk mills in the districts to provide chairs or stools for the women employed in the mills. These women are required to stand while working, but the chairs are intended for their use during the intervals in their work more when standing is unnecessary. The mill owners readily acquiesce in the order,, it is said.

The new Carnegie library at State college will be dedicated on Friday and the Scotish-American philanthropist and Governor Pennypacker will attend. The new library cost $150,000.

The new Methodist church at Pittston was dedicated on Sunday with befitting ceremonies.

T. H. Brown of Williamsport is under arrest charged with stabbing William Taylor in a quarrel on Sunday.

Muncy has a "woman in black" and the police are looking for the night marauder.

Mrs. Bright Walker of Lewisburg was among those killed in a wreck of a Worlds fair special on the Missouri Pacific on Sunday morning near Tipton, Mo.

Neil Dougherty of Chester died Sunday from the effects of falling off a trolley car some ten days ago. He never regained consciousness.

Forest fires are raging throughout Berks county.

Hereafter the Hazleton board of health will furnish antitoxin free of charge to poor families of the city who are shown to be unable to pay for it.

Michael Solody, an Italian, of Hazleton, has been committed to the insane asylum. Solody, who is a minor, built a fire on the rear porch of the home of James Mattera, a neighbor, last Thursday. The blaze was discovered in time to save the building from destruction.

At the close of business on Oct. 31 State Treasurer Mathues reported $12,430,133.05 in the general fund.

An attempt was made recently to burn the Sixth regiment armory at Chester. There was 8,000 rounds of ammunition in the commissary department and had the attempt succeeded there would have been a serious conflagration.

A Philadelphia lineman hung for a half hour in an unconscious condition from the cross arm of a pole on Monday, having come in contact with a live wire.

Three robbers were surprised while entering a store near Chester. They succeeded in making their escape by holding up their discoverers at the points of their revolvers.

In an equity suit involving $140,000 the defendant, Abram Nesbitt, of Wilkesbarre on Monday declared that a note for $84,000 was a forgery. The claimant, Mrs. Alice Richards, sues to recover funds alleged to be due her husband's estate. The case is dependent on the note.

Before a large crowd in the court house at Bellefonte on Monday, Judge Love pronounced the death sentence on Ira Green and William Dillen, convicted of the murder of Turnkey Jerry Condo. Neither Green or Dillen flinched, and Green smiled. The case will be carried to the supreme court.

ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP.

Stranger Trying to Get Possession of Windham Summit Child.

The Windham Summit correspondent of this paper states that a stranger has been at that place and has been making efforts to kidnap the little child, Clara Washburn, whom Mr. and Mrs. Housten took into their home to care for.

The Houstens have been so exercised for fear that the attempts to kidnap may result successfully that the little one has been taken to a safer place for the present.

Death of Lucinda Smiley.

Mrs. Lucinda Smiley, a life long resident of West Franklin, died Nov. 1 of diabetes at the home of her son, Arthur Smiley, in Lestershire, where she had gone to spend the winter. Deceased was 75 years of age and was the daughter of Levi and Lois Rockwell. Fifty-three years ago this month she was married to John Smiley of Franklin, who died about two years ago. Of this union seven children were born, five of whom survive; three sons and two daughters; Clarence E., of West Franklin; James Arthur, of Lestershire; Mrs. C. C. Smith of Towanda; Mrs. Fida Green, of Binghamton, and Bert R., of Laquin.

The remains will be brought to Towanda on train No. 8 this morning and taken to West Franklin, where the funeral services will be held at the Baptist church at 1 o'clock.

Killed by the Cars.

David Richardson of Sayre, was found dead along the Lehigh Valley tracks at White's Ferry on Sunday afternoon. He boarded a train with two companions on Saturday but they had both gotten off and one of them went to a hotel and went to bed. Richardson did not go to a room and when his companion awoke and asked for him nothing was known of his whereabouts. It is supposed that Richardson fell from a car as he was boarding a train to return to Sayre.

Death of Mrs. Pendleton.

Mrs. Eliza Pendleton died at her home near Potterville on Sunday, Oct. 30, after an illness of some months with heart disease. She was the widow of Newell Pendleton. The deceased is survived by one son, Hartley Pendleton, with whom she lived and two brothers, P. P. Watson of Herrickville and George Watson of Orwell township. Funeral services were held yesterday with burial at South Warren.

Mr. Heerman's Position.

To the Electors of the Congressional District, Greetings:

Since the people have a right to know, and asking, permit me to say that the Grout bill has my approval, and its repeal would have my strenuous opposition.

W. S. H. Heermans.

Towanda, Pa., Nov. 1, 1904.

Local News in Brief.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilmer of Towanda spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Buttles at Herrick.

Mrs. Frank Kilmer entertained the Social Literary club this week. Refreshments were served.

Foot Ball Scores.

The scores in the leading college football games on Saturday were as follows: Pennsylvania 11, Harvard, 0; Yale 34, Columbia, 0; Princeton, 18, Cornell, 6; Swarthmore, 9, Annapolis, 0.

Rails Were Greased.

One of the Hallowe'en pranks at Sayre was to grease the rails on the trolley tracks making it extremely difficult to control cars.

DEATH OF A VETERAN.

Andrew Labar Passed Away at Keelerville Oct. 29.

Andrew Labar died at the home of Mr. Peck at Keelerville Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, after a very brief illness, he having been taken sick only the day before, of jaundice and gall stones, aged 74 years.

Mr. Labar was born in Monroe county, but came to this part of the state in early manhood. In the early part of the war of the Rebellion he enlisted in the U. S. army in which he served four years. Surviving him are two children, Lincoln and Mrs. Linas Rifenbury of Laceyville.

The funeral, which was in charge of Madill Post of which he was a member, was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. J. Cook of this place officiating; interment was in the Lyon cemetery on Spring Hill—Wyalusing Rocket.

Lewis—Snover.

Fred W. Lewis of Forkston, a telegraph operator employed by the Lehigh Valley, and Miss Georgia Snover of Wyalusing were married at the home of Mrs. Mary Robinson at Oxford, N. Y., Wednesday, Oct. 26, by the Rev. J. N. Shipman.

Improvements at the Ochs.

Proprietor Ochs of the popular Ochs House is having the two dining rooms of the hotel treated to new wall paper and paint. It makes a great improvement in the appearance of the rooms.

Removed From LeRaysville.

Mrs. E. M. Stoneman, who has been engaged in the mercantile business on South Main street for the past two years, has closed her store here and on Monday had her stock of goods moved to Towanda.—LeRaysville Times.

Died at Buffalo.

Harry McGovern, son of County Detective A. C. McGovern of Athens, died at his home in Buffalo on Wednesday of last week of typhoid fever. Interment was made at Athens.

BENTLEY CREEK.

Milo Chamberlain has treated his house to a new coat of paint.

Theodore McAfee of Towanda, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McAfee, of this place.

Jesse Crandall passed through this place last Monday with a large traction engine enroute for Jackson Summit where he has engaged a large lumber job. Elmer Kouble went with him as sawyer.

New plank is being laid on the old county bridge across Bentley Creek at this place.

The Baptist church of this place has ben repainted and looks very much improved.

Nathan Chase has moved in Milo Chamberlain's tenant house.

The sociable held at William Gardner's last Friday afternon and evening was a complete success. There being quite a number in attendance with lots of music and singing. Fred Saudy of Gillett, entertained with his graphaphone which was very interesting. Proceeds, $11, were for the benefit of the Baptist church.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will serve dinner in the old Evans store on election day. All who wish can step in and get a good dinner.

GRANVILLE SUMMIT.

Calvin Clark and wife from Wellsboro, are visiting at O. M. Ayers's.

Foss Hanscome and his sister Eunice, are visiting at Wesley Hanscome's.

J. K. Packard and family of Elmira spent Sunday with his parents in this place. His wife and children will remain some time.

You are invited to attend the next meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Dora Haflet, Saturday, Nov. 12. All will take dinner and in the afternoon will have a program.

Mrs. Horton of Canton is stopping at the home of William Warren.

The Granville Summit Creamery company will only run every other day hereafter.

GROVER.

Mrs. Carrie Hummer of New York is visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming.

The pupils of the Grover school held a box social in the school house on Friday night, the proceeds of which go toward an organ.

I. Claflin left Saturday for Philadelphia where he expects to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ely Personius of Elmira are visiting at J. H. Eastgate's.

Will Owens lost another horse on Saturday night.

The Canton and LeRoy telephone line is now in working order at this place.

BAILEY'S CORNERS.

Mrs. Grant Vroman is at LeRoy tending for her mother who is very sick.

Mrs. Bert Smith has returned home from a visit in New York state.

Last Wednesday a few of the young people went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Purley Pratt and gave them a complete surprise. The evening was enjoyably spent in games.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson visited a few days last week at Quick's Bend.

WINDHAM SUMMIT.

On Monday morning the thermometer showed 14 degrees above zero.

A little patriotism was shown on Saturday afternon when D. G. Osborn raised a Republican pole and flung "Old Glory" to the breeze.

There will be a social held at J. H. Jakeway's Friday evening, Nov. 4, for the benefit of the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Had Hid Her Money.

Mrs. Albert Labuski, aged 77, died at her home near Morris Run very suddenly recently. The deceased had been in the habit of hoarding her money somewhere in the house, the place of concealment being known only to herself. Her sudden death prevented her from divulging the hiding place of the money and for days a thorough search was made for it. Finally when all hope of finding it had been abandoned a package of bank notes was found tucked in an angle of the pantry shelves.

Big Brewery for Coudersport.

Coudersport, Potter county, is to have a big brewery, according to the Enterprise. The plant will cost about $200,000. Dubois and Pittsburg capitalists are said to be behind the project. The plant will consist of an ice plant, brewery, bottling works, residences for brewers and barns for the horses. The buildings are to be built of brick and the plant will have a capacity of 50,000 barrels a year; will employ about 30 men and have a monthly pay-roll of $4,000.

Committed Suicide.

James Dutter of Hillsgrove, committed suicide on Sunday, Oct. 23, by shooting himself through the head. Mr. Dutter was about 50 years of age and became despondent through hard luck. He first lost a barn by fire; then a valuable horse died; then he was laid up for a long time by a broken ankle. Another horse died and his crops were a failure. On Sunday, after sending the children to Sunday school and while his wife was upstairs dressing he shot himself. Death was instantaneous.

Fire at English Center.

English Center, in northern Lycoming county, had a big fire recently. Three buildings, including two large general stores, were burned. Loss, $12,000; insurance small. The fire started mysteriously at 3 a. m., in George Decker's opera house block, containing Odd Fellows' hall and Max Levenson's store and then ignited Barney Levenson's building containing Abe Shannon's store. Barney Levenson's residence next to his store building was also burned.

Rural Carriers Met.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Goodenough, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. James McKean, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beeman of Wysox met at the home of William Elliott in this place on Saturday evening for a social time. Supper was served and a vote was taken to call on Carrier Chauncey Robinson on Nov. 19.

Struck Torpedo With an Axe.

Harry, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Grimm, of Galeton, picked up a railroad torpedo near his home on Thursday morning and thinking it was a little tin box tried to open it. Placing the cap on the stone sidewalk, he struck it with an axe. The explosion cut the lad's face severely, one gash in his cheek requiring five stitches to draw it together.

Rally at Bumpville.

There will be a rally of Republican voters at Bumpville on Friday evening of this week, Nov. 4. Hon. Robert S. Edmiston, candidate for state senator, and C. C. Yocum, Esq., an eloquent young attorney of Sayre, will make the principal addresses. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock.

Positions in Chicago.

Noble Betts and Dudley Doud left Towanda last week for Chicago where they have secured positions with the Western Electric company. Both are competent young men and should meet with success in their employment in the great metropolis of the middle west.

Mr. DeWitt's Assignments.

D. C. DeWitt, Esq., of Towanda, who is on the stump for the Democratic presidential ticket, has the following assignments for this week: Oct. 31, Rahway, N. J.; Nov. 1, Binghamton; Nov. 2, Newark, N. J.; Nov. 3, Bloomfield, N. J.; Nov. 4, Flemington, N. J.; Nov. 5, Wilmington, Del.

"A Dream of Fairyland."

On Wednesday evening, November 9, the Epworth League will give an entertainment in Epworth hall. It will be a children's drama or "A Dream in Fairyland" and promises to be very interesting and entertaining. Price of admission, adults 25c; children, 10c.

Oil Was High.

Liston Bliss began his mercantile career in Troy 38 years ago last Wednesday in the store of Redington, Maxwell & Leonard. His first sale was a gallon of keresene oil to E. C. Oliver and the price was 60 cents.—Troy Gazette.

Hand Badly Burned.

Peter Allen, proprietor of the Park restaurant, is nursing a badly burned hand and arm, the result of a pan of grease being overturned Friday night. The burn is a deep one and Mr. Allen will be unable to use the hand for several weeks.

Course of Lectures.

A. W. Otto, formerly of Toronto, Can., will deliver a course of lectures on the dispensations of the Bible in the Gospel hall over Barron's store, beginning this evening at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome. No collections.

The Hulslander jelly factory at Troy was scorched by fire a few days ago; Loss, uninsured, about $600.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.

LeRoy twp—Oct. 14, 1899. Lewis Garrison and wife to Kelsey H. Bellows; lots, $750.

LeRoy twp—Sept. 21, 1904. Kelsey H. Bellows and wife to B. C. Fairbanks; 15 acres, $300.

Orwell twp—April 7, 1904. Pluma O. Gould to Ernest J. Barnes; 18 acres, $300.

Monroe boro—Oct. 14, 1904. James E. Wilcox and others to Irwin G. Weaver; lot, $2,500.

Sayre boro—Oct. 13, 1904. Lucy L. Peck and others to Wilmer Wood; lot, $1.

Ulster twp—July 12, 1904. Estate of George Corneby to Frank C. Flood; 121 acres, $1,200.

Athens boro—Oct. 11, 1904. Fanny E. F. Long to James Henry; lot, $125.

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New Albany boro—Oct. 1, 1904. Darwin R. Jones and wife to L. C. Allen; lot, $1,200.

Ulster twp—Sept. 10, 1903. Chas. L. Tracy and others to Chas. H. Vincent; lot, $1.

Sayre boro—Oct. 17, 1904. John Hair and wife to Matilda M. Vail; lot, $1,200.

Monroe boro—Oct. 18, 1904. Emeline Chubbuck to Aaron Stiff; lot, $275.

Litchfield twp—Aug. 18, 1904. Benjamin Park to Mercur Park; 175 acres; $1.

South Waverly boro—Aug. 31, 1904. Marian A. and Mercur Park to E. D. Adamy; lot, $1.

South Waverly boro—Aug. 31, 1904. Edgar D. Adamy to Mercur Park; lot, $1.

Towanda boro—Feb. 15, 1902. Edwin F. Kizer and wife to Chas. C. and Ida I. Smith; lot, $125.

Towanda boro—Oct. 4, 1904. James Foster to Ida I. and Chas. C. Smith; lot, $1,000.

Wilmot twp—Oct. 20, 1904. F. O. Vaughan and James W. Birney to William S. May; lots, $600.

Athens twp—Oct. 10, 1904. Nathan S. Dean and wife to Clara B. Hill; lots, $700.

Armenia twp—June 30, 1903. Frank A. Sherman and wife to Emma J. Sherman, 2 acres, $250.

Armenia twp—Oct. 18, 1904. Frank A. Sherman and wife to Agnes Vanness; 44 acres, $1,050.

SOUTH WARREN.

Mrs. A. J. Quick returned to her home in Ithaca Saturday after spending two weeks with her parents here.

Kate Best spent a few days last week in Binghamton.

Mrs. J. L. Wheaton is very ill.

Sunday school closed Sunday for this season.

About 25 of the young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Hendricks on Friday evening, Oct. 28, and gave their son Arthur a surprise in honor of his seventeenth birthday. The evening was very pleasantly spent with games and music. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hendricks. The young people presented him with $2 in money and his parents presented him with a nice trunk.

Delos Bosworth is very ill.

GROSSER.

The North Rome and Trinket cheese factory is only running every other day.

H. J. Litzelman made his last trip with his grocery wagon last Thursday.

Mrs. Philip Verbeck returned home Saturday after a week's stay with her sister, at Windham.

W. K. Billings and his mother attended the funeral of Harry McGovern at Waverly on Saturday.

Myron Osborne has recently put down a fine cement walk which adds greatly to the looks of his fine residence.

Ben Smith of Ulster is working for Mit Smith.

The iron has arived for the county bridge near Osborn's mill and the approaches are nearly completed.

Mrs. Myron Osborn has taken little Edna Howard to live with her.

During the past week Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heavener entertained the following company, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds of Gladia, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. James Orcutt and Mr. and Mrs. David Heavener of Chemung.

LERAYSVILLE.

Edmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Canfield, had a cataract removed from one of his eyes at the Medico-Chi hospital, Philadelphia, on Tuesday of last week.

By the bursting of an emery wheel at Johnson's furniture factory on Thursday of last week, one of the pieces struck George Canfield below the elbow and broke his arm. Other workmen narrowly missed being hit by the flying pieces.

George, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Keeler, broke his shoulder while playing ball last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Tyler of Sayre were visiting relatives in town Sunday.

H. H. Bosworth of the firm of Bosworth Bros., has just purchased a valuable colt.

William Miller, of Atlantic City, having returned from the World's fair, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Miller.

David Powell and Miss May Bowker were in attendance last week at the Epworth League convention at Kingston, Pa., as delegates from the churches here.

Cashier and Mrs. J. F. Haigh have returned from St. Louis where they have been taking in the World's fair and other places of interest.

Mrs. Horace White of Philadelphia is in town on a visit among relatives and friends.

F. A. Hammerly has commenced the work of building a kitchen and wood house on to his residence.

PIKE.

The farmers are digging their potatoes and report them being badly rotten.

Commissioner Canfield is making some much needed improvements on the road.

The quarry near Thos. Wilson's place has caved off, and is being repaired.

Miss Darleigh Rea of Wyalusing, visited at Mr. Trowbridge's last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Beecher is entertaining several hunters from Scranton and Pittston.

LAKE WESAUKING.

A. K. Webb's barn is being rebuilt by Hardick and Allen. When completed will be one of the largest and finest barns in Wysox township.

O. W. Hoaglin is the champion coon hunter. Last Thursday he succeeded in catching two coons.

Joel Bennett of Athens, is visiting at P. C. Webb's.

Preaching Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. Cavanaugh.

WARRENHAM.

Charles Coburn of Aurora has bought a meat market in Binghamton and will move his family there in the near future. All are sorry to lose them from church and society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beardslee and sons Russell and Donald returned home from Windham Sunday.

Born, Oct. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, a nine pound daughter.

Mrs. Silas Stanton of Windham is taking care of Mrs. Nathan Young.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

Rev. J. B. Hyde is visiting his son George of this place.

Thomas Maelin preached in the Methodist Sunday morning and evening. He has been a drunkard and a convict. After he became reformed 28 years ago he became a preacher.

Miss Kellogg of Waverly is visiting her sister at the home of Harry Evans.

Pascal Brown, who has spent several months in North Dakota, has sent for his family who are about moving.

Mrs. Mary Phelps, now a resident of Lockport, has spent the past two weeks in town.

Mrs. N. L. Bird is in Penfield, Clearfield county, stopping with Lucien Bird and family.

Shot Fine Goose.

Ralph Webb of Lake Wesauking shot a magnificent specimen of a wild goose at the lake on Saturday morning. The bird just about touched the water when he bagged it.

Played Tie Game.

The first ward team of Towanda and the Monroeton team played foot ball at Monroeton on Saturday. Neither side was able to score and the game was a hot one.

EAST TROY.

Miss Flossie Brooks of Elmira is visiting her cousin, Miss Maude Cole.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. William Salsbury.

Mrs. Amanda Stiles is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Fred VanHorn, in Towanda.

Mrs. Emma VanHorn, who has been in New York city caring for her grandson, Kenneth L. Warren, has returned to her home here.

Miss Jennie Parks was the recipient recently of a very pretty silk handkerchief from her cousin, Henry Greenough, who is a hospital nurse in the Philippine Islands.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church have postponed their meeting from Wednesday, Nov. 9, to Friday, Nov. 11, at Mrs Howard Cole's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole recently enjoyed a trip to Niagara Falls.

Mrs. L. A. Roberts has been attending the state W. C. T. U. convention at Bloomsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, who have been spending a few weeks at John Honeywell's, went on Saturday to Elmira where they expect to make their future home.

Floyd Lymer and son of Kane have been the guest of his cousin, W. W. Vannoy, and other friends in town. On Saturday he returned home. His aunt, Mrs. Myra Vannoy, returned with him to reside.

A company of friends called at the home of Miss Cora Smiley last Thursday evening, Oct. 27. Finding the hostess absent they gave her a noisy welcome when she returned.

VAWTER.

Quite an excitement here Friday evening caused by the burning of C. E. Wheaton's barn. E. M. Miller and son were drawing buckwheat in the barn about 8 p. m., and when they had the load partly unloaded they discovered that the barn had caught fire in some unaccountable maner. It was soon wholly consumed with all its contents, consisting of a quantity of hay and grain, and numerous farming tools which were stored in the basement belonging to E. M. Miller and other parties. Mr. Miller saved his team and lumber wagon. The barn was quite a new one and was only insured in the Farmer's Mutual for $400. E. M. Miller stated that he had $300 on his tools.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Miller were in Athens Saturday.

C. E. Wheaton of Chemung and Lott Shoemaker of Nichols were in Vawter Saturday morning viewing the ruins of the barn.

The L. A. S. will meet at C. B. Arnold's Thursday, Nov. 10.

A jolly company of young people were at C. M. Vibert's Saturday evening for a Hallowe'en party and thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Arnold who were visiting in Elmira last week returned home Saturday.

There will be meeting in the school house every evening this week. Everyone is requested to make an extra effort to be present and fill the school house.

RUMMERFIELD.

There was no preaching at the M. E. church on Sunday evening owing to the pastor being at Scranton to a dedication service. The Epworth League led by Mrs. Joseph Vanness occupied the hour.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Vanness have returned from Sullivan county where they have been visiting friends.

The Misses Boyle have been entertaining their sister, Mrs. Gunn, of Towanda, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Vanness were elected delegates to attend the Sunday school convention to be held at Troy Nov. 8 and 9.

The pie social held at the home of C. S. Hendershot on Friday evening for the purpose of raising funds toward buying a monument for Rev. Schofield whose body was buried at Camptown, was largely attended, friends being present from Towanda, Frenchtown, Durell, Standing Stone and Herrickville. Proceeds were $6.35.

Burglarized Barber Shop.

Some time during Wednesday morning of last week a burglar entered Shook's barber shop at Troy and carried off about $100 worth of tools and paraphernalia. The police are on the lookout for a suspect.

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County Surveyor—HIRAM E. BULL.

HOW TO MARK THE TICKET.

Many a vote will be lost next Tuesday because the ballot is not marked correctly, and these suggestions are made for the guidance of the voter:

The first column on the ticket is headed "This Column Is for Straight Party Votes," and the names of the polictical parties are printed in it, with a square after each party name. An "x" marked in the square opposite the word "Republican" in the first column will be a vote for every Republican candidate for office this Fall, from county surveyor to president. This is the safe and sure way for a Republican to mark his ballot.

There is also another way to mark the ballot: Disregard the first column, and in the second column, after the words "Roosevelt and Fairbanks," place an "x" in the square; then at the bottom of the ticket place an "x" in the square after each of the following names: John P. Elkin for judge of the supreme court; Mial E. Lilley for representative in congress; Robert S. Edmiston for senator in the general assembly; Louis T. Hoyt, Nathan W. Pendleton and Willard D. Morse, representatives in general assembly; Chas. E. Mills for district attorney; and Hiram E. Bull for county surveyor. This latter way of marking the ticket requires nine marks, and accomplishes the same thing exactly as the first way of marking, and nothing more.

Bear these suggestions in mind when you go to the polls next Tuesday, study the specimen ballot carefully, be sure you are right and then go ahead. But above all things, see that your ticket is so marked as to be a vote for every Republican candidate.

Binghamton has a recorder whose knowledge of the law is unquestionable but who is addicted to the use liquor. A demand is being made that the recorder resign. While this paper has no acquaintance with Mr. Roberts if be becomes intoxicated as he is said to become, then he has no place listening to and disposing of cases of other persons who are intoxicated. The use of liquor to excess by public officials is especially disgraceful and the time will come when public men of all sorts must either be temperate or go down to defeat.

Some time ago a wit was led to remark that the real name of a famous corporation was "The Slandered Oil Company." Just now the name seems especially appropriate as Lawson in his "Frenzied Finance," has told of that trust's methods in treating rivals and of their activity in other than purely business lines. To contradict this S. C. T. Dodd, the corporation's most famous attorney, has written a public letter denying that the corporation engages in any other than lines connected with the production and sale of petroleum, especially as regards political activity. It is certainly a "Slandered Oil Company."

It is only a question of by how many votes Mial E. Lilley, Esq., the Republican candidate for congress, will win out. To make his vote what it should be don't forget that unless you vote the straight ticket you must put a cross mark opposite his name.

Mr. Parker's statement, that if elected, he will rescind the pension order relating to veterans who have reached the age of 62, makes it certain that he will get the smallest vote ever cast for a Democratic presidential candidate in this country.

THE CITY AND THE COUNTRY.

A recent and interesting question for debate has been: "Resolved, That the city man in the country is greener than the country man in the city." From the opinions that the average city man and especially the city woman holds of country towns and their inhabitants it would seem that the affirmative must win the debate if its representatives know her side. The countryman visits cities and knows of their characteristics and reads about them. The city man and the city woman will give the most insulting opinions on the habits and lives of their country acquaintances.

They are certainly greener than the countryman in the city. There are many disadvantages of living in small towns and on farms but this paper ventures to predict that you will find as much genuine culture in these places as you will in the great population centers and more per capita. Magazines and books are read more carefully and with deeper study in the country. The very isolation of which the city resident talks is the factor that makes the life of the countryman better, more self satisfying, more studious and more moral.

The advent of free public libraries, museums, rural delivery and township high schools will make the country man even less greener than the city man in the country. The idea that many city people carry is that the countryman has no knowledge of the world's affairs, little of books or of plays, in fact is a barn yard fossil only interested in the phenomena of the farm. The opinion is not an insult to the countryman so much as it is a brand upon the gray matter of the city man.

VICTORY IS NEARLY WON.

The enemy is beaten and the enemy knows it. For weeks past the Democrats have had little or no hope of electing their national ticket and have been fighting an uphill fight. They have conducted a vigorous canvass in New York state in which state issues have figured largely. Some time ago it was not thought improbable, owing to factional disturbances, that Herrick, the Democratic candidate for governor would be chosen and Democrats throughout the state were loud in their claims that the splitting of the ticket by Republicans would give Parker enough votes to make his election sure.

A change has come and New York is confidently claimed by the Republicans by a handsome majority for Roosevelt, while the contest on the state ticket is undoubtedly close. The New York Herald, whose before election canvasses have attracted much attention during past presidential campaigns gives Roosevelt 257 electoral votes without New York.

Two hundred and thirty-nine are necessary to elect. Here in Pennsylvania there is not much life in the presidential contest but we are close enough to feel the ground shake from the shock of battle. Next Tuesday will end it and the agony will be over. Never has there been a national election which has interferred so little with business and this is due doubtless to the widespread belief, amounting to a strong and positive conviction that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected.

INSTRUCTION IS NEEDED.

This is an age of instruction. Employers do not simply allow employes to perform tasks hit or miss. Instruction along regular lines is demanded in almost every calling. In railroading especially must the employe know whereof he acts. Instruction in the many different branches of work is given and examinations must be passed. But there is one branch that seems to have been neglected and which, could the statistics be secured, would show up an awful record of illness resulting from this lack of instruction—it is the want of the knowing how to ventilate passenger cars.

In the winter time especially should this subject be given attention. Cars are are either too hot or too cold and the brakeman and porters who look after them do not seem to understand the knack of keeping the cars at an even temperature. Sudden changes result from opening many ventilators or closing every one of them at once as is so often done. This paper commends this matter to the superintendents of the roads in this section as a fit subject to investigate.

Hundreds of serious colds and cases of pneumonia result every year from the improper heating and ventilation of passenger cars. The public has a right to ask that they be carried safely and healthfully. Let the railroads add heating and ventilation of cars to their courses of instruction.

In the last days of the campaign the cry is heard—"Get out the vote." If every man will take care to get out his own the thing will be done. After you have voted see to it that your neighbor votes. The prediction has been freely made that Parker will be the worst beaten candidate since Horace Greeley. We shall soon see. All signs point to a hard licking.

Republicans will do well to vote for Republican candidates. Our candidates this year are all good men and should receive the full party vote.

KANSAS AND PROHIBITION.

Out in Kansas you may go along miles of streets and not see a saloon. The sale of liquor in that state for other than medicinal purposes is against the law. But for some reason or other the people in Kansas point back to the high license law as it exists in Pennsylvania as the one that they wish to take the place of the prohibition law. Not every one, however, would wish this. But the conversation of many indicates that the people know that the prohibition law in Kansas is a rank failure. Some say that it had the effect of lessening drunkenness but others even deny this.

The case against prohibition as it prohibits in Kansas seems to be about this: While there are no saloons, when you see a place with the window glass painted half way up and the number of the place printed in large letters you may take out your dime with the expectation that it will draw something wet. Miniature bars are also addicted to hanging about drug stores and it is rumored that many of the inhabitants have standing prescriptions for diseases that need alcoholic stimulants for their cure.

Then the cellars of a great many people of the class, who in Pennsylvania seldom take a drink, are stocked with wine and beer. Instead of going to a saloon and buying drinks the saloons come to the people of Kansas. Thousands of liquor agents visit the offices and workshops, taking orders for their stuff. The advertising done by agents in this manner keeps the charms of beer, wine and whiskey before the people and they buy. Those who know this question say that Kansas is the dumping ground for all the bad whiskey in whiskeydom. With no distilleries and breweries of their own those who indulge must send out of the state for the product. All the states surrounding Kansas are therefore in favor of retaining the present prohibition law. They all believe that prohibition is the best thing for Kansas.

In Kansas City Kan., it is intimated that instead of those who sell liquor paying a license every so often the police come around, the dealers are fined and then they resume business at the old stand. There the people do not object to the saloon and the law is thus evaded. But the worst feature of this phase of the question is the grafting alleged to be done by police and officials higher up. It is stated that the fining system is worked so hard in some places that it amounts to more than high license in this state and that to make up for it the vilest sort of liquors, wines and beer is disposed of. If prohibition prohibits Kansas certainly is not the place to go to behold a successful experiment.

The submission of the trouble between Russia and England over the killing of the fishermen by the second Pacific squadron to an international commission under the Hague convention will be regarded by all lovers of peace with approbation. Nobody knows why Admiral Rojetvensky fired on the trawlers and nobody seems to credit his story that he was firing at Japanese torpedo boats. Perhaps he was but if he was he has gotten himself and the country he represents into a pot of boiling water. It is hoped that the commission may sift the matter and place the blame where it belongs.

It would seem to the reader of the news dispatches that a real air ship that can fly and be made to take any course desired has at last been perfected. The inventor is Thomas S. Baldwin of San Francisco and under the direction of A. Roy Knabenshue of Toledo the ship made a flight of ten miles from the St. Louis fair grounds and was brought down in safety in a corn field across the Mississippi river. Aerial navigation is one of the things that must come and Mr. Baldwin seems to be a man that has a great hold on its development.

Coquetting and love making in church has been carried to such a pitch in London that the Dean of Norwich devoted his sermon a week ago to a protest against the prevailing habit of young people using the cathedral during holy service as a place to carry on flirtations. Many an American church has its tee-he-ers, its titterers and goo-goo-eyers of the young blood of both sexes but as a rule the ministers take it as a necessary evil which only age can eradicate.

You may smoke a pipe in the St. Regis, the Waldorf, and the new Astor without suffering the humiliation of being called down. This rule became effective first at the St. Regis, where a few Englishmen insisted on the privilege. Then the proprietor of the Astor heard of it and he, too, removed the ban. This was promptly followed by the Waldorf management.

The Merchants and Manufacturers' association of Pittsburg has taken hold of the work of bringing the advantages of that city as a trading place to the attention of the country. According to the Pittsburg Dispatch the effort has already met with success and the public idea has been proved correct.

A GOOD REASON.

A large number of Towandians have taken western trips the past summer. A party went through to the Pacific coast and many went to the middle west. The west is a great and growing country but the concensus of opinion seems to be that the scenery is overestimated. The west may be a great country for the westerners but for the Pennsylvanian and especially the inhabitants of the Towanda country it does not come up to expectations. But there is a very good reason why: Towanda is the center of a region of unsurpassed beauty. With snow it would rival Switzerland in the magnificence of its mountain scenery. The woods and streams, the valleys and the glens are of wonderful beauty. The more a Towandian travels the more he know he lives in one of nature's garden spots.

The west with its progressive railroads has advertised itself into prominence. Within the grasp of the business interests of Towanda and the surrounding country lies a great future for the development along residential and commercial lines. The outside public must be taught and instructed where this beauty land lies. The people in Towanda must become enthusiastic boomers—aye as the Westerners are. Five or six years will place Towanda where it rightly belongs and it is believed that the business men of Towanda will do their share in the next few years as they did in 1904 in bringing Towanda before the attention of the dwellers of the city.

Nut bearing trees are too generally neglected on the general farm. That they are sources of profit and satisfaction, few will deny. By planting along roads, fences and on waste ground, walnut and hickory trees cost nothing, furnish shade for stock, add to the attractiveness and value of any farm and supply the family with nuts. A start is easily secured. Bury, before the ground freezes, the seed nuts so that in Spring they will be ready for planting in the nursery. In three or four years they will be ready for setting and in six to eight will begin to bear. These nut trees grow on a great variety of soils. Consider the nut growing problem carefully and begin this fall by collecting and burying a peck or two of walnuts, hickory nuts and pecans.

On another page of The Reporter-Journal appears an advertisement calling attention to the candidacy of George W. Kipp, who seeks an election as state senator on the Democratic ticket. In this advertisement appears a fac simile of the ticket to be voted next Tuesday, marked to vote for every Republican except Senator Edmiston for state senator. The form of ticket is worth studying, and if not certain as to the proper way to mark it, talk the matter over with some of your neighbors who understand it. Many a vote is lost by not marking the ticket correctly. The sure and safe way for every Republican is to vote the straight ticket, and this can be done by placing an "x" in the large square opposite the word "Republican," on the upper left hand corner of the official ballot.

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WHERE THEY HOPE TO WIN.

It is pretty hard picking for the Democrats in Pennsylvania, and they don't spend much time or money trying to carry elections in this state. With a majority against them on the presidential vote that has gone to over 300,000 they realize the hopelessness of the struggle and confine their energies to local contests and congressional districts. Of the 32 congressional districts in this state 25 are as certain to choose Republican representatives as the state is to go for Roosevelt, and of the remaining seven the Republicans have four and the Democrats three.

Two years ago at the time of the Pennypacker-Pattison canvass for governor the four Republican districts referred to elected Republican congressmen but gave large Democratic majorities for governor. The Democrats have taken it into their heads that there is a chance of capturing the congressmen this year. It is a vain hope. The thing cannot be done. This year probably all, certainly three of the four districts will give majorities for a Republican president. This is admitted, and if the Democrats coudn't elect congressmen when they carried the highest place on the ticket, how can they elect them, or come anywhere near it, in the presidential contest in which the districts are sure to give majorities for Republican presidential electors?

But this is their game this Fall, and they go to sure defeat. These four congressional districts are as follows: Lackawanna, Luzerne, Schuykill and York-Adams. These districts are the real battle ground in Pennsylvania this year and it is gratifying to know that the Republican state committee is devoting a large part of its attention to them. The Republicans not only expect to hold all of the 29 districts which they now have but to capture two of the three now represented by Democrats. Of great importance is it to elect a Republican president. Of scarcely less importance is it to back him up with a good majority in congress.

As to the fourteenth district which is composed of Bradford, Susquehanna, Wyoming and Wayne, we presume our Democratic friends are in indulging in no dreams or harboring no delusions. We give them credit for knowing pretty well "where they are at" in the fourteenth. Some one had to be nominated and it was as well to nominate John Kuhbach of Wayne as anyone else.

The list of defeated Democrats who have run for congress from the old Wilmot and Grow district is a long one and Mr. Kuhbach can go way back and sit down among them as soon as it is convenient for him to do so, for the big majority which will send him here is only a matter of a few days now. Mial E. Lilley of Bradford will be our next congressman, and he will ably and faithfully represent the district. Let every Republican turn out and make his majority an overwhelming one.

THE HIGHEST DUTY.

The exercise of the election franchise is the highest privilege as well as the sternest obligation of citizenship. Every person properly qualified owes it to himself and to his domestic and business interests to help in choosing those who govern and protect him. The exertion of registering and voting and the lack of interest felt at times, is regarded by many as a sufficient excuse for not participating in a popular election. Unfortunately those who fail to cast their ballots are usually those whose busy affairs require their unremitting attention.

The elections are thus, to a great extent, left in the hands of the idle, shiftless and mercenary who hold their citizenship cheaply in proportion to their lack of substantial interest in governmental administration. The coming election, combining as it does, the election of county, congressional, state and national officers, is of peculiar importance to every citizen.

Questions, local, state and national, call for solution, and in the hands of the voters lie the power and responsibility for wise or unwise choice of the men who must meet them. Every citizen should vote. Every voter who receives the protection of our country's laws and the benefits of her government should not fail to register his convictions at the polls.

Apathy on the part of Republicans may be a great aid to the Democrats. Don't take it for granted that because your town or district is normally Republican it will be so this year without you doing your part. The way to make it certain and the figures big is for you and every other Republican to go to the polls on election day.

To vote the straight ticket put a cross mark in the space marked "Republican" at the side of the ticket. If you split the ticket a mark for Roosevelt & Fairbanks votes the electors only, and does not vote the state and county offices. To vote these put a cross mark for each candidate for whom you wish to vote.

There is no doubt that the Republican candiates for Representatives, Messrs. Morse, Hoyt and Pendleton, will be elected. They are all good and reliable men.

LETTER FROM MR. EDMISTON.

Answers Criticism Concerning His Political Standpoint.

Milan, Pa., Oct. 29, 1904.

To the Voters of the 23d Senatorial District:

Having been informed that those who oppose my re-election to the state senate are giving as a reason why the voters should not support me in the coming election the fact that I was at one time opposed to the republican organization and am now acting in harmony with it without informing the voters why this change was made, I desire to make this public statement that the whole truth may be known.

It is true that when I was elected to the state senate in 1900 it was upon the distinct issue that I was opposed to the Republican organization and it is also true that I voted and acted in accordance with the wishes of those who elected me: but on March 13, 1902, the Republican county convention instructed the chairman of the county committee to print upon the ballots at the next primaries the words "Fusion" and "Republican" and request the Republican voters of Bradford county to indicate their preference as to whether the senator from this district and the members of the legislature from Bradford county should act with the Republican organization or refuse to do so and remain out of the party caucuses. The ballots were so printed and the question so submitted to the Republican voters of this county at the primary election held in August of the same year at which time 4595 voters indicated their preference in favor of having the senator and members of the legislature act with the party organization and 223 voters indicated their preference for them to remain out of the party caucuses and refuse to act with the Republican organization.

This was an emphatic declaration made by the voters which could not be misunderstood and since that time I have obeyed their instructions and voted with the Republican organization and shall continue to do so until the voters which I represent instruct me otherwise.

I acknowledge the right of those opposed to me to criticise my official me they ought to tell the whole truth. me they ought to tell thewhole truth.

My record in the legislature and in the senate has been made. I could not change it if I would and I would not change it if I could. An examination of it by any fairminded person will disclose the fact that I have at all times obeyed the instructions of my constituents whenever they have been known to me. If re-elected I shall continue to do the same in the future and I am content to rest my case with the people in my district.

R. S. Edmiston.

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TOWANDA, PA., NOV. 3, 1904.

November.

Mrs. R. E. Dunston gave a Hallowe'en party Monday night.

Geneva has forbidden the distribution of free samples of patent medicines.

A modern store front is being placed in the Bailey market on Bridge street.

Mrs. G. L. Norton of New Albany was registered at the Tidd House Tuesday.

C. B. Culver, a prominent citizen of Laceyville, was a Towanda visitor Tuesday.

W. B. Gunton of Bernice, the well-known coal operator, was a Tidd House guest Tuesday.

H. C. Dewey of Sayre has returned from the Adirondacks with a 135 pound deer as a trophy.

The exterior of the New Park hotel is being repainted in a handsome buff color with brown trimmings.

Owing to insufficient water pressure it was impossible to run the water motors which operate the pipe organs in Athens churches on Sunday.

A number of Towandians took in the Cornell-Princeton game at Ithaca on Saturday which the Princeton Tigers won by a score of 18 to 6.

Miss Eliza Armstrong, the deaf mute, of Towanda, left Monday for the Mt. Airy school in Philadelphia, where she expects to be graduated.

Miss Louise Myer, who is attending school at Cazenovia seminary, has been spendng a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Myer.

Born, Oct. 25, 1904, a ten pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin P. Braund of Wetona, Pa. Mrs. Braund is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ward.

The Champion Wagon company of Owego, has made the first of 25 rubber tired motor express wagons for the use of the United States Express company in Washington, D. C.

Edward Rockett, formerly in the wholesale liquor business at Sayre, is preparing to open a restaurant in that borough. Harold L. Gillispie has opened a new drug store in Sayre.

Wore Boys' Clothes.

In its writeup of the Hallowe'en celebration at Wilkesbarre, The Record says: "One other feature of the celebration was the fact that girls all the way from ten to twenty years and over of age appeared on Public Square and the other central streets attired in boys' and men's clothes. The girls paraded the streets with reckless abandon and in many cases the masking was so imperfect that their sex was not concealed. The incident provoked a feeling of digust. Some of those girls in the excitement of the occasion did things that approached vulgarity and took liberties that they would not think of taking on another occasion. These incidents of rowdyism and excessive license marred what would otherwise have been an evening of much enjoyment."

Must Keep the Peace.

Michael Lynch of North Towanda, had a hearing before Justice Meredith Tuesday on the charge of assault and battery preferred by his wife. Lynch was arrested by Constable Hollon on Monday and at that time entered a plea of not guilty. Yesterday he changed this to guilty and upon payment of costs the justice suspended sentence pending Lynch's good behavior. Mr. Lynch is a well liked citizen when he lets liquor alone, but when under its influence he does things that he saouldn't. One of these is to handle a revolver recklessly and shoot at things. He has promised to give up the revolver and not keep one in the house any longer.

Sneaked His Grip.

A grip containing about $200 worth of rings and small articles which J. T. Stalford, the Athens jeweler, had purchased in New York last week for the holiday trade, was stolen from his room in the Astor House in that city while he was at supper Friday evening.

Jealously Led to Fistic Encounter.

Two Addison young men with an infatation for the same girl are said to have had it out in a fistic encounter shortly after 12 o'clock Sunday morning in the vicinity of Main street.

SIXTY APPENDICITIS CASES IN LESS THAN FIVE MONTHS.

Supt. Ott Makes Statement at Graduation of Nurses.

The second annual commencement of the training school for nurses of the Robert Packer hospital was held on Tuesday evening of last week in the First Presbyterian church at Sayre and was attended by a large crowd. The graduates were: Miss Lena Myrtel Bostwick, Miss Elanor Gertrude Weaver, Miss Grace Pancroft Cole, Miss Agnance Elizabeth MacKenzie, Miss Mary Helen Granam and Miss Maud Sara Randall. All the graduates were present, with the exception of Miss Bostwick, who is at present in a hospital in Dorchester, Mass.

Rev. W. H. Sawtelle of Athens offered prayer and Dr. Ott, physician and surgeon-in-chief of the Robert Packer hospital gave some medical and surgical statistics of the past year. He told of the course of study which the class had just completed and of the hard work they had performed. He also spoke of appendicitis, saying that there were 60 cases operated for the disease during the year ending June 1 and of these four died. The present year promises to greatly exceed last year in the point of the number of cases for during less than five months of this year there have been 60 appendicitis cases treated.

The adress was delivered by Dr. John B. Roberts, professor of surgery in the Philadelphia Polyclinic. The diplomas were presnted by Rev. P. R. Ross of Waverly and the hospital medals were presented by Miss Emily McCreight, directress of the training school.

ATHENS WON GAME.

Second School Team Defeated Towanda Second School Team.

The foot ball game between the Towanda and Athens second high school teams on Saturday afternoon here resulted in a victory for the Athens team by a score of 11 to 0. Athens made all her scores in the first half and the first touchdown was made in two minutes. Athens kicked off and Towanda soon lost the ball on downs. Athens by two successful end runs landed the ball behind the goal posts, C. Lawler, making the touchdown. H. Lawler kicked the goal.

The second touchdown was made for Athens by H. Lawler. Vorhees missed the goal. In the second half Towanda made some fine gains but could not land a touchdown. Parsons and Rogers both made good gains and the hurdling and bucking the line of Parsons was a feature of the game. For Athens full back Craine played the best all round game and Vorhees was also strong. The officials were Chamberlain of Towanda and Lancaster of Athens referee and umpire, Benjamin of Athens and Mayer of Towanda timekeepers and VanScoten of Athens and Marshall of Towanda linesmen.

RESIGNED POSITION.

Heister Piollet Is to Again Become Lehigh Engineer.

Heister Piollet has resigned as road foreman of engines and will resume his seniority rights as an engineman, being assigned to one of the fast runs.

When he became road foreman he retained his seniority rights and is now entitled to one of the best paying runs on the Lehigh. He will be succeeded by John Pickley, who at present holds the same position on the Seneca division and M. J. Flynn of Sayre will succeed Mr. Pickley.—Athens News.

Distinguished Literary Man.

Isaac R. Penypacker, a brother of Governor Pennypacker, was in town the latter part of the week enroute to his home in Philadelphia, and took occasion to call on F. E. Allen, one of his acquaintances. Mr. Pennypacker, spends much of his time every summer at Montrose, where he does a great deal of literary work. He has been book reviewer for the Philadelphia Inquirer for a number of years, and not long ago compiled the Life of General Meade for McClure's Magazine. He is a very affable and courteous gentleman, whom it is a pleasure to meet.—Tunkhannock Republican.

Big Block of Stone.

The Hawke Stone company's quarrymen lifted a stone in the Mowry quarry at Meshoppen on Monday that was [illegible] feet long, sixteen feet wide and five feet thick. It was estimated to weigh four hundred tons. To break it loose thirteen holes were drilled, about a pound of powder inserted in each hole, and all fired simultaneously with a battery.

THAT WYALUSING ROAD.

Rocket Says That Work of Grading Is to Begin at Once.

The Wyalusing Rocket of Oct. 16 had a long article on the construction of the Binghamton & Southern railroad, now the New York Pennsylvania & Southwestern road. It states that the bonds for the road have all been sold and that the contract for the construction of the road has been let to Rogers & Company of New York. A corps of engineers under Chief Engineer Harvey began work at Merryall on Monday putting the final touches on the survey.

The surveyors have now simply to relocate the grade and place the grade stakes so that the contractors may make the cuts and fills—in fact grade the land of the proposed road ready for the laying of the ties and rails which will form the band of steel conecting Wyalusing with Binghamton, says The Rocket.

Chief Engineer Harvey, and Mr. Stone, who represents the road's management, said that "The work of establishing the grade would now be rapidly pushed so that everything would be in readiness for Rogers & Company, the contractors, who with a part of their force of men, are expected every day now to commence the work," and as noted above the work from Wyalusing to Lawton must be completed by the end of the year.

The mileage of the entire road is 116 miles and early next year work will be commenced at many different points between Binghamton and Williamsport and the whole line pushed to a rapid completion. The contract with Rogers & Company calls for the completion of the New York Pennsylvania & Southwestern railroad by December 31, 1905.

CRITICISES CONSTABLES.

Secretary Kalbfus Says That They Do Not Perform Duties.

Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the state game commission, severely criticises the constables of Pennsylvania, for inactivity in arresting violators of the game laws. He says:

"While we are only a part of the machinery depended upon by the State to protect and preserve these birds for our individual benefit and the benefit of those who in coming years may follow us, it is an indisputable fact that the great majority of this work devolves upon us, numbering less than one hundred officers authorized by law, ten regular game protectors for each county of the Commonwealth, while fully ninety-five out of every one hundred of the constables of the State, numbering more than three thousand, absolutely neglect or refuse to do their sworn duty, although they by law are made game wardens in their respective counties and have equal authority with the officers of the commission in the matter of enforcement of the game laws of the State.

"There is hardly a day passes without the receipt of some appeal for help from some part of the State. The great majority of these letters cite the fact that the constables will do nothing and asking that the Game Commission send at once an officer to help. Especially is this the case from those parts of the State where large numbers of foreigners are lodged, and I want to say right here that were it not for this element there would be comparatively few complaints."

DEATH AT RIDGEBURY.

Mrs. Ellen Leary Passed Away Very Suddenly.

Mrs. Ellen Leary died at her home near Ridgebury on Saturday morning very suddenly of heart disease. She arose as usual but soon complained of feeling badly and died at 10 o'clock.

Deceased was 80 years of age and was one of the pioneer settlers of the town of Athens. She is survived by seven daughters—Mrs. John Hurley and Mrs. T. D. O'Leary of Athens; Mrs. Daniel Kane of Waverly; Mrs. Jerry McCarthy of Towanda; Mrs. John Geary of South Plainfield, N.J.; Miss Nora Leary of New York city, and Miss Maggie Leary at home.

The funeral was held from the St. John's Cathiloc church. South Waverly, on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock. The interment will be in the Sayre Catholic cemetery.—Elmira Advertiser.

This Woman Had Nerve.

On a recent afternoon Mrs. F. H. Gallagher, of Reynoldsville, Jefferson county, went to the hen house to look for eggs. She stepped upon a high cross piece a ring on her hand caught on a nail, the weight of her body stripping all the flesh off her finger down to the first joint and tearing off the end of the finger at the first joint. Mrs. Gallagher was alone at the time. She picked up the piece of finger and walked up through the lot and across the street to a neighbor's to get them to send for a doctor. The doctor amputated the remainder of the finger above the second joint.

Hidden Treasure.

The old Wilson mansion in Owego is receiving much attention from residents of that place. The other day a man working in the house came upon an old fashioned sliding door in one of the parlors and removing it found a deep aperture in the wall. Taking a stick he poked about in the hole when suddenly a five dollar bill came to light. He continued his search till he had poked out $72 in paper money.

Pomona Grange.

Pomona Grange. No. 23, of Bradford and Sullivan counties, will meet at Spring Hill on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 17 and 18. Program will appear next week.

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NEW BALLOT A PUZZLE.

Many Voters Will Have a Hard Time to Understand It.

Advance sample copies of the ballot for the coming election have been sent out from Harrisburg and, as an exchange remarks, the politician is convinced that an extraordinary blunder has been made.

The legislature passed what is known as the "Focht ballot law," abolishing the old "party column" with a circle at its top for a "straight party vote, grouping candidates names under the titles of the office to which they aspire, but retaining the "straight vote" provisions by substituting a "party square" at the side of the ballot for the abandoned "party circle" and column.

That worked very nicely last fall the grouping system doing away with the old cumbersome "blanket ballot," while the "party square" proved just as discouraging to independent voting as had the "party circle."

For presidential year, however, the new law provides that the names of presidential electors shall be printed in party groups or columns as they were under the old law, a single cross mark in the "square" at the head of each electoral column being a vote for the entire national ticket.

Apparently nobody realized until the sample ballots were seen a few days ago, that the lists of 34 presidential electors for each party would appear almost exactly like the old party columns. As a matter of fact, they cover about three-fourths of the entire ballot, overshadowing the little "group" of state and local candidates at bottom of the sheet and the new "party squares" at the left side. The danger is at once apparent: The average voter, seeing the familiar old "party columns," as he believes, naturally will mark his cross at the top of it as he has been doing for ten years and think he has voted for the whole party ticket. In fact, he will have voted only for the presidential electors.

It is a serious question in the mind of many whether such an attempt to educate the voters will be of much benefit. The combination of the old "column" and the new "grouping" system is likely to prove confusing to all who are not familiar with the ballot act. Comparatively few voters are.

WAR ON DEAD HEADS.

Lehigh Valley Enraged Over Illegal Train Riding.

A Wilkesbarre dispatch of Oct. 25 says: "We are carrying more passengers on some of our freight trains than our passenger trains," said a well known official of the Lehigh Valley railroad today, "and we have resolved to break up the practice. Some of these deadheads passengers own property and can afford to pay their fares."

The interview with the official had hardly been taken down when a half-dozen detectives of the road arrested nearly a score of men caught riding on freight trains. They were taken before several aldermen and fined or sent to jail.

HOSPITAL CONTROL.

Said That a Bill Will Be Presented to the Legislature.

It is said that a bill will be presented to the next Legislature and ordered passed which will give the governor the privilege of appointing a certain number of managers for all hospitals of which a larger proportion of the operating expenses are now paid by the state.

It is said that the bill will be so worded as to except the Philadelphia and Pittsburg hospitals from its provisions, but that all the other institutions in the state will be affected.

Brought It Home.

Herbert Ames of Williamsport addressed a temperance meeting in Troy on Sunday evening of last week. Mr. Ames not only spoke of the evils of the liquor traffic in general but he brought the subject straight home to Troy by relating a tragedy of the town itself which involved a beautiful and accomplished woman, a victim of drink. Had it been related of some other town it would have appeared overdrawn but as it was known to be a true picture it made a forcible impression at Troy.

Closing the Campaign.

Rev. W. S. H. Heermans, Prohibition candidate for congress, spoke at Milan Tuesday evening. Last night he delivered an address at Berrytown, tonight he will make an address at Wyalusing, Friday at New Albany, Saturday in Towanda, and on Monday evening will close his campaign with a speech at Athens.

USED TOO MUCH LAUDANUM IN GETTING SOBER.

Edward Horton of Sayre Died From Effects of the Drug.

Edward Horton, a son of Joseph E. Horton of Milltown, died on Thursday morning from laudanum poisoning despite the fact that two physicians spent the greater part of the night in the effort to save his life. Horton is about 30 years of age and at times drank to excess. He was of a quiet disposition, however and even when intoxicated had little to say to anyone.

He had been drinking hard for about a week at this time and his nerves had gotten in a bad condition. He procured a quanity of laudanum and whiskey and returned home. He went up stairs and told his mother that he was going to sober up. At 10 o'clock his mother went to the room and found him lying on the bed. She spoke to him but got no response. Alarmed she shook him and then saw that he was unconscious.

Physicians were at once summoned but could not overcome the drug which he had evidently used in large quantities. The Sayre Times says that its is not believed that Horton took the overdose with suicidial intent but merely to quiet his shattered nerves. With the exception of his use of liquor Horton bore a good reputation. He was unmarried.

ORRIN T. NOBLE DEAD.

Man Who Developed Lock Haven's Public School System.

Orrin T. Noble, father of Lock Haven's public school system, died on Thursday night. Mr. Noble came there in 1855, and, as a noted teacher, developed to its present state the school system. He also established the first graded school in Central Pennsylvania.

During his long life of eighty-seven years he was not only a successful teacher but a lawyer, justice of the peace and alderman. He organized the Disciple church in Lock Haven and was one of its most faithful workers. He was also among the oldest Odd Fellows in the State and a prominent Mason.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Mr. Noble was the father of the late E. T. Noble of this place. Mrs. Noble attended the funeral services.

Lyon-Hawley.

J. Frederick Lyon, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Lyon of Waverly, and Miss Grace Gere Hawley of Syracuse were married at the bride's home on Tuesday evening of last week by Rev. George B. Spaulding. The ceremony was largely attended and the house was magnificently decorated for the occasion. Miss Mary Francis Hawley, the bride's sister, was bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Bond was flower girl and the best man was Jesse T. Peck Kenyon. The ushers were Raymond W. Phelps and Sumner Rhodes. Mr. and Mrs. Lyon will reside at Syracuse. Mr. Lyon is well and very popularly known in Towanda where he resided for several years when a student at the S. C. I. His many friends will etxend congratulations and best wishes.

Escaped Bad Injury.

Martin Bennis of Towanda, who has a position as carpenter on the Susquehanna & New York railroad, narrowly escaped serious injuries on Saturday afternoon about 5 o'clock. Mr. Bennis was working in the Towanda yard with a gang who were using a derrick in lifting a pair of trucks. In lowering them the handle of the winch attached to the derrick struck Bennis on the top of the head. Luckily he escaped any lasting injuries from the accident.

New Wyalusing Pastor.

Rev. H. S. Snitcher of Greenwich, N. J,. has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Wyalusing Presbyterian church, his term of service beginning on Sunday.

New Bartender.

James Cook, formerly at the Ochs hotel, is the new man in charge of the sample room at the New Park hotel.

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THE SUBWAY OPENED

New York City's Rapid Transit Dream Realized.

MAYOR STARTS FIRST TRAIN

Formal Exercises In City Hall Signalize Completion of Greatest Engineering Enterprise In American History—The Story of the Subway.

New York, Oct. 27.—The subway is open.

The mayor of the city, George B. McClellan, with a silver controller bar turned on the electric current which moved the first train and with due formality gave rapid transit to the city. At the moment the train started from the city hall on its journey uptown through the greatest tunnel that has yet been constructed the bells of the city rang out in joyful peals and every siren and whistle on every steamboat and tug in the harbor and the rivers joined in the jubilant din.

The beautiful old city hall, gay with bunting and national and international flags, was the center of attraction for

WILLIAM BARCLAY PARSONS.

the multitude. Within the building, in the aldermanic chamber, an hour before the first train started formal exercises befitting the occasion were held. To these exercises 600 guests had been invited by the rapid transit commission, to which the city hall had been for the time being committed.

President Fornes of the board of aldermen called the assemblage to order, after which prayer was offered by Coadjutor Bishop Greer. Then Mayor McClellan was introduced. After he had made an appropriate speech the man who planned the great tunnel, William Barclay Parsons, chief engineer of the rapid transit commission, delivered an address.

After Mr. Parsons the president of the commission, Alexander E. Orr, and its vice president, John H. Starin, spoke. Then John B. McDonald, the contractor who so successfully carried out Mr. Parsons' plans and, in spite of unforeseen difficulties, gave the road to the city only a month after he had promised it to the people, addressed the meeting. Mr. McDonald was followed by August Belmont, president of the syndicate which financed the undertaking and which will operate the underground road. The exercises were closed with a benediction by Archbishop Farley.

The First Train.

The mayor, the members of the rapid transit commission and the invited guests then proceeded to the city hall station and obeyed the first cry of "All aboard!" for the first train for One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

This train was followed at 2:30 by a train containing the guests of the Interborough company, which had issued thousands of invitations, which kept packed trains running on a two or three minute headway until 6 o'clock.

At 7:30 o'clock the subway was opened to the public at large. It is estimated that 100,000 persons patronized the underground trains between that hour and midnight.

The subway is the consummation of years of study of the transportation problem on Manhattan Island and marks the completion of the first stage of what will be the most comprehensive system of rapid transit in the world. Considering the peculiar difficulties faced by its builders, the subway stands unique as a feat of engineering and construction. In the shape of an irregular Y, with the stem resting at the city hall, the tunnel runs north to Forty-second street, where it bends sharply west to Broadway and out that thoroughfare to One Hundred and Third street. This portion of the tunnel is a four track system, two tracks for local and two for express train service. At One Hundred and Third street two tracks diverge in a generally northeastern direction, cross under a corner of Central park and on to the Harlem river, under which it passes by means of a tunnel made famous by the engineering skill called into play to complete it.

After passing under the river it continues to Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, where the tunnel ends, and the line is continued upon a viaduct to Bronx park. The west side branch of two tracks continues north from One Hundred and Third street to Hillside avenue and Eleventh avenue, where it emerges from a tunnel and is continued upon a viaduct to its terminus at Spuyten Duyvil. Nine miles of this total of about fourteen are open for traffic, and it is expected that the east side division and the remainder of the west side line will be ready in about three months. The recently authorized line from city hall under the East river to Prospect park, Brooklyn, will not be completed for about three years. With that and other lines under construction and authorized Greater New York will have between twenty-two and twenty-three miles of subway and allied lines.

Ground Broken March 25, 1900.

Ground was broken for the tunnel on March 25, 1900, after years of agitation and legislation, out of which the present project grew. It had been decided by a municipal ballot that the city should own the system, but that it should be constructed under private contract on money loaned by the city to be repaid by the contractor, with interest. It required six years to lay out the route and plan the size and character of the tunnel and the viaducts, the work being under the supervision of a commission, of which Alexander E. Orr was president and William Barclay Parsons chief engineer. This accomplished, bids for the gigantic work were issued. There were but two responses, that of John B. McDonald, a New York contractor, being the lowest.

The contract under which McDonald undertook the work provided that he should construct the subway road in four years at a cost of $35,000,000; that he should have the right to operate it for fifty years, with a right of renewal for twenty-five years; that the city would furnish him with $35,000,000 by an issue of bonds bearing 3½ per cent interest, and that in fifty years he should repay the $35,000,000 and interest by annual installments. The entire property would belong to the city, and at the end of the lease the city could release the system on its own terms to whom it pleased. The contractor was to make his profit out of the construction and operation of the road.

Unprecedented Difficulties.

The construction of the tube has involved difficulties of a character probably never before faced in such a work. Portions of it pass under skyscrapers, involving costly and specially designed supporting systems, and practically its whole length lies under a crowded city, requiring the solution of such problems as those involved in the displacement of hundreds of sewers many of them great main trunk conduits, masses of intricate and interlaced electric wires, gas, water and steam pipes, and all without seriously interrupting the services of these essentials to the life of a great city. Old foundations were encountered in unexpected places, and quicksands, strongly flowing springs and long forgotten streams frequently called into play every device of modern engineering genius to meet perilous emergencies.

About 3,000,000 cubic yards of excavation were made for the tunnel, one third of which was stone. As this required blasting, another serious obstacle was encountered in devising means for the safe use of explosives.

Cost One Hundred and Twenty Lives.

The tragedy of the entire work which up to date has cost about 120 lives, lies practically in the division on Park avenue in the Thirties and Forties. A series of misfortunes and accidents befell this section, causing a number of deaths, entailing many damage suits and financially ruining the subcontractor, who, to crown the one dark chapter on the subway story finally lost his life in a blasting accident.

The term "tunnel," with its generally conveyed meaning of a dark underground passage, is ill applied to the subway. It is not only a means of transportation, but a thing of beauty In the whole project the aesthetic has been kept in mind, and it represents the highest type of such work Throughout it is lined with white glass tiles, the ironwork is tasty and as far as possible has been designed with an eye to the artistic as well as strength and durability, while the stations are treated in color schemes with ceramic tiling. Each station has its own distinctive color idea, and the decorative scheme is varied in each. This was

JOHN B. M'DONALD.

done not only for decorative effect, but in order that the prevailing color may indicate the locality to the underground traveler, whose usual means of knowing his whereabouts are not available.

The stations are commodious and brilliantly lighted, and the finishings are all of bronze, brass and other metal, woodwork being eliminated as far as possible.

The system is electrical, one great power house developing the required energy. The cars are of the latest type, being especially designed for the system, and are either copper or steel sheathed. Every known device and every idea suggested by skill and experience has been provided to insure safe transportation. A complete signal system is in operation, and for weeks the trains have been running regularly in order to train the motormen and guards in their duties and familiarize them with the road.

King Edward's Latest Title.

At a farewell banquet given the other night to a number of leading French physicians who have been visiting London hospitals, Dr. Sir William Broadbent, physician in ordinary to the king, in toasting his majesty conferred a new title upon him, says a special cable dispatch to the Chicago Tribune. Referring to the king's influence upon international politics, Dr. Broadbent said he had shown himself to be the "lightning conductor of Europe."

WAR RUMORS REVIVE

Activity at Gibraltar Presages Russo-British Break.

ENGLISH PUBLIC BEWILDERED

Count Benkendorff Calls on King Edward, and Balfour Holds a Council. Russian Ships Unexpectedly Leave Vigo—Beresford Patrols Straits.

London, Nov. 1.—London was bewildered all day long by alarming reports indicating a renewal of the Anglo-Russian crisis and showing that the utmost activity is prevailing at Gibraltar. The first news received, announcing the sailing of the Russian squadron from Vigo, leaving only four subordinate officers to give evidence at St. Petersburg and then testify before the international commission, was considered here to be a breach of the agreement, and an interchange of visits between Ambassador Benkendorff and Lord Lansdowne followed, the foreign secretary subsequently seeing various members of the cabinet.

Count Benkendorff went to Buckingham palace and spent nearly half an hour with the king. Later the ambassador again visited Lord Lansdowne, who also received Lord Selbourne, first lord of the admiralty; Premier Balfour, Captain Prince Louis of Battenberg, the director of naval intelligence, and Admiral Sir John Fisher, senior lord of the admiralty. All this renewal of activity created much apprehension in the public mind.

A dispatch to a news agency from Aldershot camp says orders have been issued for strong drafts of all branches of the royal engineers to be in readiness to leave for Gibraltar at short notice.

ACTIVITY AT GIBRALTAR.

Batteries Manned and Channel Squadron Cleared For Action.

Gibraltar, Nov. 1.—The garrison was mobilized and the artillerymen ordered to take up their positions at the different batteries of the rock.

Vice Admiral Beresford's flagship, the battleship Caesar, fired a gun recalling all the officers of the squadron on board their respective ships. All the ships were cleared for action.

British warships patrolled the straits all night long. They intercepted a collier, the London Bridge, bound from Barry for Port Said, and brought her in here.

The departure of a company of the royal garrison artillery, which had been ordered to start for Sierra Leone Nov. 9, was countermanded.

Four Watch Officers Detained.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 1.—It was publicly announced here that an officer from each of the four Russian warships which participated in the firing in the North sea during the night of Oct. 21-22 would be detained to appear before the international commission and that the squadron would proceed. They are the watch officers who were on duty at the time the affair occurred. Their names are not disclosed. Of course Admiral Rojestvensky is not among them. They are returning at once to St. Petersburg.

British Flagship at Villagarcia.

Villagarcia, Spain, Nov. 1.—The British first class armored cruiser Bacchante, flagship of Rear Admiral Sir Baldwin Walker, commanding the cruiser division of the Mediterranean fleet, anchored in the harbor. The British cruiser Doris arrived during the day with dispatches for the fleet here and soon left again. Villagarcia is about twenty-five miles north of Vigo.

Russian Warships Leave Vigo.

Vigo, Spain, Nov. 1.—All the Russian warships left here. The squadron was followed by the Spanish cruiser Extremadura. Heavy firing was heard in the offing shortly after the vessels' departure. It was attributed to artillery practice.

American Warships Go to Gibraltar.

Southampton, England, Nov. 1.—The United States cruisers Des Moines and Cleveland sailed to join the flagship Olympia. They will all proceed to Gibraltar.

Looking Down Into Four States.

From Mount Genevieve, a peak in Gilpin county, Colo., a person can see into four states and one territory. On a clear day the observer can discern the Uintah mountains of eastern Utah, the Medicine Bow range of Wyoming, the tips of the Rockies in New Mexico and the principal peaks of Colorado. The plains stretching to the east are plainly visible clear into Nebraska.

Art and Nature.

Overheard during the private theatricals: She—How well your wife plays Lady Geraldine, Mr. Jones! I think the way she puts on that awful affected tone is just splendid. How does she manage it? Mr. Jones (with embarrassment)—Er—she doesn't. That's her natural voice.

Oh, That Boy!

"I'd cheerfully lend you my whistle if I had one, Charlie," said the curate, "but I haven's such a thing."

"Well, papa says you have," replied Charlie, "and that you wet it a dozen times a day."—New York Times.

More Than a Match For Him.

Tom—Somebody ought to warn Mrs. Prettiface that that fellow Smirks, who's paying attention to her, is a miserable flirt. Jim—Hem! Better warn Smirks. Mrs. Prettiface is a widow.

To some the past gives only regret, the present sorrow, the future fear.—Lambert.

ROJESTVENSKY'S REPORT.

Admiral's Countercharges Stir Up the Russian Populace.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 27.—Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's explanation of the trawler incident is fully as sensational as the news of the firing upon the fishing fleet which set all England aflame. He declares he was attacked in the darkness by two torpedo boats which came upon the squadron from the direction of the fishing fleet. He opened fire and believes he sank one of the torpedo boats, the other making off for cover among the fishermen. As soon as he noticed the fishermen Admiral Rojestvensky ceased firing. He proceeded on his way without leaving any vessel behind, and says he believes the vessel which the fishermen reported remained on the scene for six hours without offering succor to the drowning men was the other torpedo boat, either waiting for her consort or repairing damage inflicted by the fire of his ships.

In concluding his telegram Admiral Rojestvensky expressed in the most warm hearted way the regrets of the whole squadron to the fishermen who had suffered and to the families of the victims.

Rojestvensky's report was telegraphed from Vigo direct to the emperor. It was communicated to Ambassador Hardinge by Foreign Minister Lamsdorff himself. There is reason to believe that the British embassy was also acquainted with information which reached the Russian authorities some time ago of the arrival at and subsequent mysterious disappearance from Hull of twenty Japanese, mention of which was made in these dispatches Oct. 25. It is pointed out that the original version of the incident as recited by the captain of the trawler Moulmein coincides closely with Rojestvensky's. The captain said that while the squadron was passing he suddenly noticed two torpedo boats which approached so near that he thought they intended boarding him, when they sheered off, heading back for the squadron. Almost immediately after the squadron opened fire. According to one account of Rojestvensky's report, it specifically states that there were no torpedo boats with the squadron when the incident occurred. If this is true the statement of the captain of the Moulmein would completely corroborate Rojestvensky.

In view of the entirely new complexion placed upon the incident by Rojestvensky's report, it is readily conceivable that Russia may make representations to Great Britain and that the whole course of exchanges between the two governments regarding the affair may be altered.

Rojestvensky's version is likely to create quite as much indignation in Russia as the fishermen's version did in England. Further inquiry would seem to be indispensable.

MARRIAGE OF GREAT HEIRESS

William Waldorf Astor's Daughter Is Wedded to English Captain.

London, Oct. 30.—Miss Pauline Astor, daughter of William Waldorf Astor, was married at St. Margaret's church, Westminster, to Captain Spender-Clay. The bishop of London, Dr. Ingram, Canon Wilberforce and other clergy performed the ceremony in the presence of a very large congregation.

Enormous crowds outside watched the arrival of the bride, bridegroom and wedding guests. The church, which was tastefully adorned with flowers and autumn foliage, was crowded with distinguished persons and presented a brilliant scene when, to the strains of a processional hymn, the bride, with her ten bridesmaids and two pages, moved up the aisle to the chancel steps. Mr. Astor gave away his daughter. The best man was Captain Claude de Crespigny, Viceroy Curzon's aid-de-camp.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a reception was held at 18 Carlton House terrace, many hundreds of well known people being present.

Captain and Mrs. Spender-Clay subsequently started for Cliveden, where they will spend the honeymoon.

The presents were magnificent, largely diamonds and other jewels. The Duchess of Argyll (Princess Louise) sent a gold cup. Lord Rosebery, the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk, Lord Lansdowne, Lord Halsbury, Alfred Charles de Rothschild, the Duchess of Sutherland, the Duke of Roxburghe, Lord and Lady Wolseley and the Earl and Countess of Warwick were also among the donors.

Malay Superstitions.

You can scarcely ever get your money from a Malay on Friday because Malays believe that if they pay their creditors on a Friday they will be overtaken by penury. Malays never shave or cut their nails on Saturday or Tuesday because these are unlucky days, and if they do part with their hair or nails on these days they believe that they will be always in trouble or will die quickly.

Workhouse Museums.

Several of the great London workhouses have remarkable museums attached to them. In a south London union museum can be found a clergyman's letters of ordination (the owner died in the house) and a peculiar belt made of human teeth and brought from the west coast of Africa. But perhaps the most significant of all the things shown is a small pocket dice box. Upon the box is neatly cut, "This box and other wagering cost me £30,000 and brought me to the workhouse."—London Telegraph.

Be Cheerful.

Tribulation is a habit. Be brave and utter a cheerful word in place of the complaining one. Keeping silent in an atmosphere of discord attracts to you peace and serenity instead of pain and sorrow. "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he." No greater truth was ever uttered. As soon as a person stops thinking trouble and goes to thinking joy, then joy will materialize.—Detroit Free Press.

MONROETON.

Miss May French visited her parents at Sheshequin over Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Daily of Towanda, visited Mrs. W. D. Minard the past week.

Gordon, Leslie and Naomi Decker entertained a number of their young friends at their home Monday evening "Hallowe'en."

A reception was tendered Rev. and Mrs. Wilcox at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday evening, by the members of the Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Guild of the Presbyterian church will hold a business meeting in the vestibule of the church Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

Dr. W. J. DeVoe of Camptown, is spending a few days with his mother and sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kline and daughter Cora, of Freeland, visited relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Salisbury delightfully entertained a large number of friends at their home at a Hallowe'en party Monday evening.

The following ladies each entertained at tea several friends the past week: Mrs. M. M. Park, Mrs. R. B. Drake and Mrs. A. L. Rockwell.

Mrs. John Satterlee is visiting relatives at Candor, N. Y.

Mrs. Charlotte Ingham, returns to her home at Canton this week after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Theron Sweet.

Mrs. Delos DuBois of Athens, has been spending a few days with friends here.

A. Boise has gone to the Sayre hospital for an operation for rupture.

ROME.

Fred A. Powers of Sayre spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Powers.

Oscar Campbell and family of Lime Hill visited at Sherb Brown's Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Cavanaugh are attending the ministerial association at Camptown.

Miss Bessie Browning has returned home after spending a month in New York.

There was a large attendance at the Christian Endeavor society last Sunday evening, and all enjoyed the good meeting led by Prof. R. B. Allen. Next Sunday, Nov. 6, will be the monthly consecration meeting and it is hoped that all members will make a special effort to be present. Last month five names were presented for membership and the lookout committee will be very glad to receive other applications this week.

The young people are preparing a drama—"Ye Old Fashioned Husking Bee"—which will be presented at Woodburn's hall, the proceeds will be given to the Packer hospital. The date will be announced later.

Frank McGovern of Lestershire is at the Woodburn House, and will enjoy the hunting season with Roman friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Allen recently visited their daughter, Mrs. Galusha Crumb, of Brink Hill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John B. Eddy, Nov. 1, a son.

RIDGEBURY.

Frank Owen has moved part of his household goods into the John O'Brien house while doing the sawing for C. E. Hanlon.

Ed. Cowell is laying a new chimney and making some other repairs to his house.

The wedding announcement has been made of D. Jefferson May and Miss Jennie Colwell to occur Nov. 2 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Colwell.

Jerome Dickerson and Will Evans are making cider at Centerville.

The commissioners are making quite extensive protection to the road along Bentley Creek near the Kelsey place and near Fred Fay's.

The poles are being set for a new independent telephone line commencing at Frank Campbll's on Doty Hill ing at Frank Campbell's on Doty Hill Creek and will in the near future extend to Wellsburg and connect with the Valley line.

CODDING.

Mrs. Ellen Brown is visiting her son, Irwin Brown at Hoblet.

Horace McClelland of Ulster visited his brother here on Friday and Saturday.

There was a party at Elery Burlingame's Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Burlingame's brother, George Kniffin.

Some of our young people attended the Cap social at Riggs Friday evening.

Miss Leah Wakely spent a few days last week visiting at Smithfield.

WETONA.

L. W. Sargeant and William Sturgis have purchased new buggies.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reeser are visiting their daughter, and two sons at Rochester, N. Y.

Troy Carpenters will commence work on the new school house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hicks and daughter Belva spent last week with friends near Watkins, N. Y.

Mrs. Fred Havens is on the sick list.

Improving the Time.

Little Bobbie left his mother's lap and climbed up on his father's knee.

"Do you love papa more than mamma?" asked Aunt Kate.

"No," replied the youngster. "But mamma and I are both going to heaven, and grandma says papa won't if he don't stop smoking in the parlor, so I'm going to see all of him I can now."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

True Enough.

"Now, then, children," said the teacher, "what is it we want most in this world to make us perfectly happy?"

"De things we ain't got," shouted the bright boy in the back seat.—Catholic Standard and Times.

WINCHESTER

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Good shells in your gun mean a good bag in the field or a good score at the trap. Winchester "Leader" and "Repeater" Smokeless Powder Shells are good shells. Always sure-fire, always giving an even spread of shot and good penetration, their great superiority is testified to by sportsmen who use Winchester Factory Loaded Shells in preference to any other make.

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Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Latest

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Child's Sleeping Garment Designed by Martha Dean

One of the most sensible garments ever worn by children is the one piece "bed suit," which covers the child from head to toe. It is a garment that is recommended by nurses as well as mothers and protects the body so well that the child does not take cold if the covers are kicked off. Then, too, the limbs are free, and the child can kick to his heart's content without fear of croup or other ailments. The garment is quite simple for any mother to make and yet a joy to the child who will wear it. There will be no more trouble in getting ready for bed, for every child likes to get into clothes that are distinctly his own. The body part is in one piece. The closing may be down the back or at the side, in drawers style. In cases of delicate children, where it is necessary to soak or rub the feet in case of illness, the inner seams at the ankle should be finished by buttons and buttonholes, as this enables one to roll up the foot covering. If desired the garment may be made without feet. These serviceable little garments may be made of muslin, outing madras, canton flannel, cashmere or flannel. In fact, any soft material that can be put into the wash frequently is suitable to the mode. Pattern No. 4313. Sizes, 1, 2, 4 and 6 years.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 4313, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

Pattern For Child's Fall Coat Designed by Martha Dean

Loose fitting dresses continue to be the fashion for little children, and all mothers will readily agree that it is a very sensible fashion too. Frills and fluffs and closely fitted garments are very pretty to look at, but a source of discomfort and annoyance to any unfortunate juvenile compelled to wear them. The little coat is made up of front and back, bishop sleeve and two pointed capes, the use of which is optional. It is a quaint little design that may be easily fashioned in any of the fall coat materials. White sicilienne, pongee, serge and cloth are good selections for the coat. For the bishop dress, nainsook, dimity, gingham, cashmere or china silk is to be recommended.

Pattern No. 4620.

Sizes, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years.

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NEATH.

Marvin Morton, wife and two children of Vestal, N. Y., are visiting friends and relatives here.

Henry Davies and family are entertaining his niece from the West.

George Pettes of Orwell spent Sunday at J. M. Tyrrell's.

Rev. Jones and family are enjoying their vacation at Scranton and other places.

$22.75 via Chicago.

The Lehigh Valley have on sale a 15 day ticket to St. Louis and return for $22.75 good for stop off at Chcago also 60 day ticket on sale daily $27.70.

WICKIZER.

Miss Ivey Hiney has returned to Lestershire after visiting her parents here for the past two weeks.

Saturday being the thirtieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Parks their relatives and friends gave them a surprise by calling on them and spending the day. Congratulations were offered and a good time was enjoyed.

CEBU.

There will be a singing school in this place next Friday night.

James Newell and Julia Camp are spending some time in Towanda.

Work is about to commence on the telephone line.

BURLINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henson took a business trip to Lockwood, Sayre, and Smithfield recently.

Will Wright of Roseville, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Ackley of Spring Hill spent the first of the week with Mrs. S. H. Hill and other friends in this place.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henson last Wednesday. Those present were Mrs. B. A. Winner of St. Paul, Mrs. S. A. Swingle of Athens, Emma Holcomb, of Roaring Branch, and Orlondo Henson of Conrad, Potter county. A very pleasant time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Darrow of Ulster and Mr. and Mrs. Hills of Owego, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Darrow Sunday.

Ezra Dickerman, who has been quite ill for the past week, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrison of Philadelphia, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Shepard and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hill.

FRANKLINDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Rockwell of Powell were visiting at C. T. Sickler's Sunday.

Ansel Williams of LeRoy was visiting at Will Brown's last week.

Martin Carey has moved to Evergreen.

BUMPVILLE.

There will be singing school at the church Saturday evenings, conducted by Prof. Fred Wheaton.

Miss Flora Parker is working for Mrs. Lizzie Powers at Rome.

A Very Cheap Rate.

So cheap are the rates over the Lehigh Valley that any one who has lying idle $17 can take an educational tour to one of the greatest expositions known, now at St. Louis. Tickets are on sale at this very low rate every Wednesday in September and October, good for 10 days and good to stop off at Niagara Falls on return without final limit

THE MARKETS.

The Market Reports in the Reporter Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

	PAYING	SELLING
BUTTER	18c to 20c	
EGGS	2 4	
CHEESE		12½ 13
LARD		11 a 12c
BEESWAX	22 a	
BEANS	$1.80 a $2 25	
CORN	60c to 65c	
OATS	35c to 37c	
CORN MEAL		$1.45 a 1.50
FEED		$1,25 a 1.50
FLOUR, per sack		$1.50 a 1.75
POTATOES	40c	

Towanda Hay and Grain Market.

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $8; No. 2, $6; clover mixed, $5.

BALED HAY—No. 1, $10; No. 2, $6 a $8.

STRAW—Loose Long rye, $10; loose short rye, $4; loose oat, $3; baled short rye, $9. Baled Oats Straw $6.

Troy Markets.

	PAYING
BUTTER, fresh tubs	15 a 16c
EGGS	20c
BEESWAX	25c
OATS, per bushel	35c
POTATOES, per bushel	35 a 40c

General Markets.

New York, Nov. 1.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, per pound, 22a22¼c.; firsts, 20a22¼c.; seconds, 17a19c.; thirds, 14½a16c.; held, extras, 21a21¼c.; firsts, 19a20½c.; state dairy, tubs, extras, 21½a22c.; firsts, 18a20c.; seconds, 15a17c.; thirds, 14c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, small, September, colored, fancy, 10¼c.; October, colored, choice, 9¾c.; September, white, fancy, 10¼c.; October, white, choice, 9¾c.; small, good to prime, 9¼a9½c.; poor to fair, 7½a9c.; large, September, colored, fancy, 9¾c.; October, colored, choice, 9¼c.; good to prime, 8¼a9c.; September, white, fancy, 9¼c.; October, white, choice, 9c.; white, good to prime, 8½a8¾c.; poor to fair, 7a8c.; light skims, small, choice, 8a8¼c.; prime, 7¼a7½c.; part skims, prime, 6½a6¾c.; good, 6a6¼c.; common to fair, 4¾a5¼c.; full skims, 2a3c.

EGGS—State, Pennsylvania and nearby, selected, white, fancy, 30c.; choice, 27a29c.; mixed, fancy, 25a27c.; fair to prime, 22a24c.; dirties, 14a17c.; checks, 13a15c.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, McIntosh, hand picked, per double head barrel, $2a4; Alexander, $2a3; Wealthy, $1.50a2.50; Jonathan, $1.50a2.50; Jonathan, Colorado, per bushel box, $1.50a1.75; Snow, hand picked, per double head barrel, $1.50a2.25; Twenty Ounce, $1.50a2.50; King and Spitzenberg, $1.50a2.50; Spy, $1.25a2.25; Baldwin, Ben Davis and St. Lawrence, $1.25a1.75; Pound Sweet, $1a1.50; Greening, $1.25a1.50; open heads, 50c.a$1.25; crab apples, average, per barrel, $1.50a2.50; pears, Seckel, per barrel, $2.50a5; Bartlett and Beurre Bosc, $2.50a4; Sheldon, $2a3; Vicar of Wakefield, $1.50a2.50; Duchess, $2a2.50; Lawrence, $2a2.75; Kiefer, 50c.a$1.50; cooking sorts, $1a2; quinces, per barrel, $3a4; peaches, state, per pony basket, 30a60c.; grapes, Delaware, per carrier, $1a1.25; Niagara, per 10 basket crate, $1.50a1.75; Concord, per carrier, 65a75c.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens, per pound, 10c.; fowls, per pound, 10½c.; roosters, old, per pound, 6½c.; turkeys, old, per pound, 12a14c.; ducks, per pair, 70a80c.; geese, per pair, $1.25a1.50; pigeons, per pair, 15c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, spring, dry picked, average best run, 18a20c.; fair to good, 15a17c.; old, 16a17c.; spring chickens, Philadelphia, 8 to 9 pounds to pair, per pound, 19a20c.; mixed sizes, 14a15c.; other Pennsylvania, 7 to 8 pounds to pair, fancy, per pound, 14a15c.; state and Pennsylvania, mixed sizes, 12a13c.; fowls, dry picked, average best, 12c.; old cocks, per pound, 8½c.; spring ducks, 17½a18c.; spring geese, white, per pound, 16a17c.; dark, 14a15c.; squabs, prime, large, white, per dozen, $2.75; mixed, $2.25a2.37; dark, $1.75a2.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, Maine, Green Mountain, per bag, $1.35a1.65; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 pounds, $2.12a2.25; per sack, $1.75a2; Jersey, state and western, in bulk, per 180 pounds, $1.50a1.75; sweet potatoes, Jersey, yellow, per double head barrel, $1.50a2.25; brussels sprouts, per quart, 4a5c.; cabbages, Savoy and red, per 100, $2a3.50; flat Dutch, $2a3; per barrel, 50a75c.; cauliflowers, per barrel, 50c.a$2; cucumbers, per barrel, $1.50a4.50; celery, fancy, large, per dozen bunches, 25a35c.; small to common, per dozen, 10a20c.; eggplants, per barrel, $1a2.50; lettuce, per half barrel basket, 40a60c.; lima beans, potato, per bag, 75c.a$1.50; flat, 50c.a$1; onions, white, per barrel, $2a6; yellow, $1.50a2.50; red, $1.50a2.

DRESSED MEATS—Beef had a fair inquiry at steady prices, or at 6½a10c. per pound for inferior to choice native sides; calves firmer; city dressed veals sold at 8a13½c. per pound; country dressed at 8a12c.; grassers and westerns at 4½a7c.; mutton steady at 5a8½c. per pound; lambs at 8a9½c

WELLS.

Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Mrs. Otto Cole, Mrs. Burr Johnson and son Adden Johnson of Corning, all visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Brown and other friends hereabouts last week.

C. P. Dewey has repainted his house.

D. W. Sullivan enjoyed a pleasant trip to Mormon Hill near Bentley Creek the first of the week where he was royally entertained at the elegant farm home of Mrs. John Welch and family.

Frank Cummings had the misfortune to lose a valuable young cow last week. It is supposed that the animal choked to death on apples.

Fred Tillinghast purchased a $35 gun recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown and others from hereabouts visited friends and relatives at Mountain Lake, Smithfield, Towanda, Dushore, Covington, Mansfield, Tioga and other places driving a spanking young team attached to a fine surrey.

Levi Brewer will embark in the mercantile business at Mosherville in the stand recently vacated by S. J. Brasted.

Mrs. C. L. Shepard of Mosherville entertained her daughters Grace and Bertha and their husbands and children recently for a couple of days.

Cider is now made as a side issue to the Gillett creamery.

George Fletcher is erecting a fine residence at Gillett's Heights.

William Mahood, section foreman at Gillett on the Northern Central, has built fortifications to stop water damage in case of high water on his residence and lot. Some of the iron posts are pile driven 16 and 18 feet in the ground and are augmented by plank, stones and other posts besides.

The sadly afflicted family of Orrin Sturdevant who have typhoid fever are reported to be improving slowly.

Hon. Robert S. Edmiston delivered a speech at Gillett last week and this week Thursday evening will address the voters of Wells.

A Sure Thing.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdtown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by Turner the druggist. Trial bottles free, Regular size 50c, $1.00.

RUMMERFIELD.

John Fisher and his nephew Leslie visited Mrs. Frank J. Kingsley at Towanda on Sunday.

Elmer Lent of Lake Wesauking visited here on Sunday.

James Kane and son Johnnie visited in Sayre Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Landmesser and Mrs. Jessie Clagett entertained relatives from Little Meadows and Owego last week.

Henry Bush of Sayre visited friends and relatives here last week.

Prayer meeting at C. S. Hendershot's Thursday evening.

General Election Proclamation

GOD SAVE THE COMMONWEALTH.

I, S. F. Robinson, High Sheriff of the County of Bradford in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the County of Bradford, aforesaid, that a General Election will be held on

Tuesday, November 8, 1904.

in the several election districts of Bradford County, at which time and place the qualified electors will vote by ballot for the following officers:

Thirty-four persons for Members of the Electoral College from the State of Pennsylvania.

One person for Judge of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania.

One person for Representative in Congress from the Fourteenth Congressional District of Pennsylvania.

One person for Senator in the General Assembly from the wenty-third Senatorial District of Pennsylvania.

Three persons for Representatives in the General Assembly from the County of Bradford.

One person for District Attorney for the County of Bradford.

One person for County Surveyor for the County of Bradford.

NOMINATIONS.

The following is a list of all the nominations made, together with the place at which the election is to be held in each district in the County of Bradford:

NATIONAL CANDIDATES.

Republican.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS.
Presidential Electors.

Robert Pitcairn,
Levi G. McCauley,
George J. Elliott,
Joseph B. McCall,
Robert C. H. Brock,
John E. Reyburn,
Kennedy Crossan,
Edward W. Patton,
John Taylor Wolfenden,
Joseph Bosler,
James D. Landis,
Frederic W. Fleitz,
Frederick C. Johnson,
Walter J. Whitehouse,
Charles D. Werley,
John H. Brown,
Edward G. Schieffelin,
William G. McConnell,
W. Scott Alexander,
John Hays,
William Lauder,
George L. Deardorff,
James Orlando Brookbank,
John H. Negley,
Isaiah Good,
William S. Parker,
John C. Sturgeon,
Archibald Johnston,
J. Frank Graff,
J. C. Millin,
Charles W. Dahlinger,
Albert P. Burchfield,
J. Welfred Holmes,
William McConway,

Democratic.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
PARKER AND DAVIS.
Presidential Electors.

Robert Wilson Irwin,
Stanley Woodward Davenport,
Harry Nichols,
Joseph Reeves Wainwright,
John M. Campbell,
James M. Stewart,
H. Maxwell Rowland,
Moses Veale,
Emil Holl,
Benjamin Sterling Johnson,
William Hayes Grier,
William Craig,
John McGahren,
Chas. F. King,
Isaac Hiester,
John Sullivan,
John B. Coulston,
Alphonsus Walsh,
Samuel Z. Hawbecker,
Robert E. Weighley,
Lucian D. Woodruff,
Nevin M. Wanner,
Timothy E. Costello,
William T. Mechling,
Rockwell Marietta,
Charles H. Akens,
James P. Colter,
M. Frank Coolbaugh,
Alfred W. Smiley,
S. E. Walker,
Henry Meyer,
Thomas B. Foley,
George Heard,
Charles B. Payne,

Prohibition.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
SWALLOW AND CARROLL.
Presidential Electors.

Herbert T. Ames,
Daniel G. Hendricks,
A. Foster Mullin,
Edward B. Cooper,
Edward R. Steinmetz,
Charles Reading Jones,
Samuel Christian,
Lewis Lincoln Eavenson,
Charles Palmer,
Howard Leopold,
H. D. Patton,
William W. Lathrope,
William Benjamin Bertels,
Harry Albert Reber,
William M. Stauffer,
Charles W. Hathaway,
James Mansel,
B. Budd Cannon,
Jeremiah Sowers Yaukey,
John D. Graybill,
Daniel Kloss,
John Henry Hector,
Elisha Kent Kane,
Edwin R. Worrell,
William Simpson Throckmorton,
Capt. M. S. Marquis,
George W. Fellows,
Edward Everett Dixon,
John D. Bair,
Henry C. Cockrum,
Thomas P. Hershberger,
J. P. Knox,
J. J. Porter,
Matthew H. Stevenson,

Socialist.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
DEBS AND HANFORD.
Presidential Electors.

Edward J. Cook,
Henry Peter,
John S. Holmes,
William D. Altman,
Thomas J. Frederick,
Andrew P. Bower,
Elwood W. Leffler,
Robert B. Ringler,
John H. Nase,
Alfred Chatelain,
Edward A. Evans,
Bernard V. Kennedy,
William H. Keevan,
Walter Nelson Lodge,
Peter C. Heydrick,
Davis A. Palmer,
Conrad J. Rechsteine,
Arthur J. Dennis,
Frank R. Field,
William A. Stroup,
John D. Orrilp,
Elmer H. Young,
John A. Sturgis,
Patrick Smith,
Edward Kuppinger,
Walter W. Rihl,
Julius Weber,
Paul B. Wreath,
Christian Sauer,
Frederick W. Skorsets,
Herman Lemke,
Adolphus A. McKeen,
Harvey W. Shay,
Francis J. Rogers,

Socialist Labor.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
CORREGAN AND COX.
Presidential Electors.

Edmund Seidel,
Charles Durner,
James Erwin,
Detlef Rehder,
Albert Gay,
James Ryan,
William Hutzel,
James Ray,
George Anton,
Peter Flanigan,
Louis Katz,
Silas Hinkel,
David Wismer,
John Bach,
Herman Spittal,
L. Cunaingham,
J. F. Gingenbach,
C. Schleicher,
J. Devine,
A. Black,
Joseph Mullen,
E. R. Markley,
John A. Barron,
John Klen,
Jenkin James,
Harry Jenkins,
G. A. Brown,
Aug. Clever,
P. C. Tesson,

Independence.

FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.
PARKER AND DAVIS.
Presidential Electors.

Robert Wilson Irwin,
Stanley Woodward Davenport,
Harry Nichols,
Joseph Reeves Wainwright,
John M. Campbell,
James M. Stewart,
H. Maxwell Rowland,
Moses Veale,
Emil Holl,
Benjamin Sterling Johnson,
William Hayes Grier,
William Craig,
John McGahren,
Chas. F. King,
Isaac Hiester,
John Sullivan,
John B. Coulston,
Alphonsus Walsh,
Samuel Z. Hawbecker,
Robert E. Weighley,
Lucian D. Woodruff,
Nevin M. Wanner,
Timothy E. Costello,
William T. Mechling,
Rockwell Marietta,
Charles H. Akens,
James P. Colter,
M. Frank Coolbaugh,
Alfred W. Smiley,
S. E. Walker,
Henry Meyer,
Thomas B. Foley,
George Heard,
Charles B. Payne,

STATE AND COUNTY CANDIDATES.

For Judge of the Supreme Court.

John P. Elkin, Republican candidate.
Samuel Gustine Thompson, Democratic and Independence candidate.
A. A. Stevens, Prohibition candidate.
George W. Bacon, Socialist candidate.
Archibald A. Grant, Socialist Labor candidate.

For Representative in Congress.

Mial E. Lilley, Republican candidate.
John Kuhbach, Democratic candidate.
William S. H. Heermans, Prohibition candidate.

For Senator in General Assembly.

Robert S. Edmiston, Republican candidate.
George W. Kipp, Democratic candidate.

For Representatives in General Assembly.

Louis T. Hoyt, Republican candidate.
Nathan W. Pendleton, Republican candidate.
Willard D. Morse, Republican candidate.
Ira Finch, Democratic candidate.
James W. Burk, Democratic candidate.
John A. Morley, Democratic candidate.
Hampton Champlin, Prohibition candidate.
Charles P. VanDyke, Prohibition candidate.
Collins Wood, Prohibition candidate.

For District Attorney.

Chas. E. Mills, Republican candidate.
Stephen H. Smith, Democratic candidate.

For County Surveyor.

Hiram E. Bull, Republican candidate.
Nathan F. Walker, Democratic candidate.

ELECTION DISTRICTS.

The following are the places at which the elections are to be held in the County of Bradford, viz:

Armenia Twp—At Grange Hall near the residence of Clyde Becker, in said township.

Alba boro—At the house of Ira Smith, deceased, in said boro.

Albany Twp—At the Town Hall near Bahr school house in said township.

Asylum Twp—At the storehouse of Geo. L. Haight in said township.

Athens Boro., First ward—At the Town Hall in said ward.

Athens Boro., Second ward—At the livery stable office of Chas. Fitzgerald in said ward.

Athens Boro., Third ward—At the Union Hose house in said ward.

Athens Boro., Fourth ward—At the store of F. A. Armstrong, in said ward.

Athens Twp., 1st dist.—At the store of F. E. Weller at Greenes Landing in said district.

Athens Twp., 2d dist.—At the Wilawana hotel in said district.

Athens Twp., 3rd dist.—At the house of A. J. Wheaton in said district.

Athens Twp., 4th dist.—At the creamery house of Wm. Westbrook in said district.

Barclay Twp—At new Town Hall on west side of Leroy street, in the village of Laquin.

Burlington Boro.—At the town hall in said borough.

Burlington Twp—At the house of J. Travis in said township.

Burlington West Twp—At the Methodist Episcopal church in said township.

Canton boro—At the Fire Department house in said borough.

Canton Twp., 1st dist.—At the dining hall of the Union Agricultural society in said district.

Canton Twp., 2nd dist.—At the Vermilya hotel in the village of Grover in said district.

Columbia Twp., 1st dist.—At the Town Hall in Austinville in said district.

Columbia Twp., 2nd dist.—At the old postoffice building at Columbia X Roads, owned by Stephen Gernert.

Franklin Twp.—At the M. E. church in Franklindale in said township.

Granville Twp.—At the I. O. O. F. hall in said township.

Herrick Twp—At the storehouse of Charles Stewart in said township.

LeRaysville Boro—At the hotel occupied by Scott Shaner in said borough.

LeRoy Twp.—At the Grange Hall in said township.

Litchfield Twp—At the Grange Hall building in said township.

Monroe Twp., 1st dist.—In building on lands of C. A. Fowler in said district.

Monroe Twp., 2nd dist.—In Powers' hall at Greenwood.

Monroe Boro—At the Summers House in said borough.

New Albany Boro.—At the hose room in the borough building.

Orwell Twp.—At the Town Hall in said township.

Overton Twp.—At the election house built in said township.

Pike Twp., 1st dist.—At the house owned by E. M. Pitcher estate.

Pike Twp., 2nd dist.—At the house of A. A. Vandermark in Stevensville in said township.

Ridgebury Twp.—At the hotel owned by Frank M. Baldwin in said township.

Rome Boro.—At the building in the rear of Wm. Rice's drug store in said borough.

Rome Twp—At the school house on Towner Hill in said township.

Sayre Boro., 1st ward—At the Wilbur House in said ward.

Sayre Boro. 2nd ward—In the election house in said ward.

Sayre Boro., 3rd ward—In the school house in said ward.

Sayre Boro., 4th ward—At the house of Spalding Hose Co. in said ward.

Sheshequin Twp.—At the Town Hall in said township.

Smithfield Twp.—At the Town Hall Association building in said township.

South Creek Twp.—At the Grange Hall in said township.

South Waverly Boro.—At the council rooms in said borough.

Springfield Twp.—At the Odd Fellows hall in said township.

Standing Stone Twp.—In the town building near the Centers school house in said township.

Sylvania Boro.—At the hotel of H. F. Pitts in said borough.

Terry Twp—At the Wells school house in said township.

Towanda Boro., 1st ward—At the store of Ed. Stevens in the Bailey block in said ward.

Towanda Boro., Second ward—In the northwest County Room in the basement of the Court House, in said ward.

Towanda Boro., 3rd ward—At the election house built in said ward.

Towanda Twp—At the new Town Building on southwest corner of Centre and Division streets, in said township.

Towanda North—At the Town Building near George B. Mills's in said township.

Troy Boro.—At jury room No. 2 in the court house in said borough.

Troy Twp., 1st dist.—At the dining hall on the fair grounds.

Troy Twp., 2d dist.—At the drug store recently occupied by G. A. Gamble in East Troy.

Tuscarora Twp., Eastern dist.—At the office of A. P. Beeman in said township.

Tuscarora Twp., Western dist.—At the election house in Spring Hill in said township.

Ulster Twp., 1st dist.—At the store of Wilson Mills in said township.

Ulster Twp., 2d dist.—In building in the rear of Milan House in said township.

Warren twp.—At the hall owned by A. A. Abell in said township.

Wells Twp.—At the Odd Fellows hall in said township.

Wilmot Twp.—At the election house in said township.

Windham Twp.—At N. J. Mosher's store in said township.

Wyalusing Boro.—At the borough room in I. O. O. F. building on Church street.

Wyalusing Twp., 1st dist.—At Welles' wagon shop in said district.

Wyalusing Twp., 2d dist.—At H. F. Smith's harness shop.

Wysox Twp., 1st dist.—At the house owned by W. H. Conklin in said district.

Wysox Twp., 2d dist.—At house owned by Ira Aldrich in said district.

At all elections hereafter held under the laws of this commonwealth, the polls shall be open at 7 o'clock a. m., and close at 7 o'clock p. m.

All persons are eligible to the several offices except the following, viz:? Every person excepting Justice of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States or of this state or of any city or incorporated district, whether a coumissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the legislative, executive or judiciary departments of this state or of the United States or of any city or incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature and of the select or common council or any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district is by law incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk of any election of this commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for except that of an election officer.

S. F. ROBINSON, High Sheriff.
Towanda, Pa., Oct. 20, 1904.

Public Notice of Application for Charter.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bradford County, Pa. Entered to No. 295 December Term, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the said Court or to the law judge thereof on Saturday the 26th day of November, A. D., 1904, at ten o'clock a. m., under the Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations approved April 29th, 1874, and its supplements, by J. J. Barnes, H. B. Warner, C. Vannest, Mrs. J. J. Barnes, G. L. Wilson, et al. for the Charter of an intended Corporation to be called "East Herrick Methodist Episcopal Church" the character and object of which is for the purpose of the support of public worship according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges conferred by the said act and its supplements.

LILLEY & WILSON, Solicitors.
Towanda, Pa., Oct. 27th, 1904. 3t

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION HAVING been granted the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of W. H. Phinney, deceased, late of Monroe Township, Pa., all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it will please present them duly authenticated for settlement.

W. J. DE VOE, Administrator.
Oct. 20 6t* Campbown, Pa.

Administratrix's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate o George Conklin deceased, late of Twp. of Wysox, Pa. having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

NANCY C. CONKLIN, Administratrix
Sept. 19th, 1904. WM. MAXWELL, Attorney.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

December Term, 1904.

Whereas, Hon. A. C. Fanning, President Judge of the Forty-second Judicial district, has issued his precept bearing date Sept. 24, 1904, to me directed, for holding a court of Over and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Common Pleas and Orphans' Court at the courthouse in Towanda, Pa., commencing

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1904,

and continuing three weeks.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance agreeably to their notice.

The Grand Jury will meet Monday, November 21, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated at Towanda the twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and four, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-ninth.

S. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.

Political Announcements.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Republican party of Bradford County. Primaries will be held June 10, 1905.

CHARLES P. DEWAY.
Gillett, Pa., Aug. 25, 1904.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Register and Recorder, subject to the rules of the Republican party of Bradford county. Primaries are to be held June 10, 1905.

Terrytown, Pa., Sept. 1. G. M. HOFFMAN

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county commissioner, subject to the rules of the Republican party and pledge my best efforts for the welfare of the county if elected.

JOHN F. STRUBLE.
Litchfield, Pa., Aug. 18.—tf.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the rules of the Republican party of Bradford County.

GEORGE M. GILBERT,
8sept4 Franklindale, Pa.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Register and Recorder, J. T. McCOLLOM,
Troy, Pa., Sept. 8, 1904. Attorney-at-Law,

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of David Smiley, deceased late of Franklin Township, Bradford Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for payment.

O. F. SMILEY,
O. L. SMILEY,
Towanda, Pa., Oct. 27, 1904* Executors.

GEORGE W. KIPP,

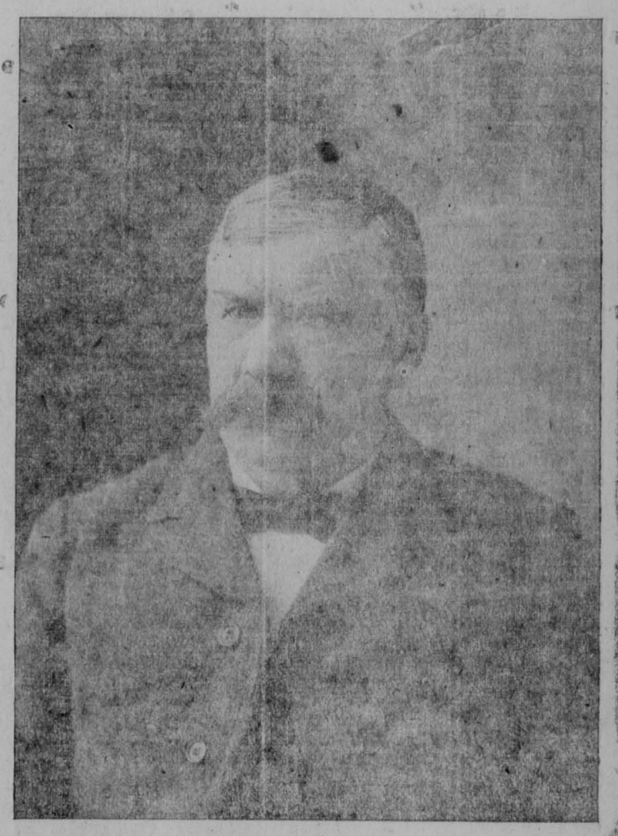
Candidate for State Senator

George W. Kipp, the Democratic candidate for State Senator to represent this district, is president of the First National Bank of Towanda, and has for many years been identified with the Lumbering Interests of this section of the State. He was born in Pike County, Pa., in 1847, and spent his early life on a farm.

In 1879 he was elected County Commissioner of Wayne County, and after serving his term became a resident of Bradford County. From that time to the present he has been actively engaged in lumbering, having operated in Bradford, Sullivan, Wayne, Lackawanna and Jefferson Counties, and his efforts have been crowned with success.

Mr. Kipp is a self made man. He did not seek the nomination for State Senator, but the Democrats selected him as their candidate, knowing him to be a strong, conservative Business Man—one who would be conscientious in the discharge of the duties of State Senator—a man who, if elected, will serve the best interests of ALL THE PEOPLE.

Appealing to the honest citizens of all parties, he asks their support at the election next Tuesday. The Republican who marks his ballot like the following ticket, will vote next Tuesday for George W. Kipp for State Senator:—



To vote a straight party ticket mark a cross (X) in the square, in the first column, opposite the name of the party of your choice.
A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.
A cross mark in square opposite names of Presidential candidates is a vote for all electors of that party, but for no other candidates.

This Column is for Straight Party Votes

REPUBLICAN
DEMOCRATIC
PROHIBITION
SOCIALIST
SOCIALIST LABOR
INDEPENDENCE

REPUBLICAN	DEMOCRATIC	PROHIBITION	SOCIALIST	Socialist Labor	Independence
For President and Vice President. Roosevelt and Fairbanks X	For President and Vice President. Parker and Davis	For President and Vice President. Swallow and Carroll	For President and Vice President. Debs and Hanford	For President and Vice President. Corregan and Cox	For President and Vice President. Parker and Davis
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Robert Pitcairn,	Robert Wilson Irwin,	Herbert T. Ames,	Edward J. Cook,	Edmund Seidel,	Robert Wilson Irwin,
Levi G. McCauley,	Stanley Woodward Davenport,	Daniel G. Hendricks,	Henry Peter,	Charles Durner,	Stanley Woodward Davenport,
George J. Elliott,	Harry Nichols,	A. Foster Mullin,	John S. Holmes,	James Erwin,	Harry Nichols,
Joseph B. McCall,	Joseph Reeves Wainwright,	Edward B. Cooper,	William D. Altman,	Detlef Rehder,	Joseph Reeves Wainwright,
Robert C. H. Brock,	John M. Campbell,	Edward R. Steinmetz,	Thomas J. Frederick,	Albert Gay,	John M. Campbell,
John E. Reyburn,	James M. Stewart,	Charles Reading Jones,	Andrew P. Bower,	James Ryan,	James M. Stewart,
Kennedy Crossan,	H. Maxwell Rowland,	Samuel Christian,	Elwood W. Leffler,	William Hutzel,	H. Maxwell Rowland,
Edward W. Patton,	Moses Veale,	Lewis Lincoln Eavenson,	Robert B. Ringler,	James Ray,	Moses Veale,
John Taylor Wolfenden,	Emil Holl,	Charles Palmer,	John H. Nase,	George Anton,	Emil Holl,
Joseph Bosler,	Benjamin Sterling Johnson,	Howard Leopold,	Alfred Chatelain,	Peter Flanigan,	Benjamin Sterling Johnson,
James D. Landis,	William Hayes Grier,	H. D. Patton,	Edward A. Evans,	Louis Katz,	William Hayes Grier,
Frederic W. Fleitz,	William Craig,	William W. Lathrope,	Bernard V. Kennedy,	Silas Hinkel,	William Craig,
Frederick C. Johnson,	John McGahren,	William Benjamin Bertels,	William H. Keevan,	David Wismer,	John McGahren,
Walter J. Whitehouse,	Chas. F. King,	Harry Albert Reber,	Walter Nelson Lodge,	John Bach,	Chas. F. King,
Charles D. Werley,	Alvin Clouser,	William M. Stauffer,	Peter C. Heydrick,	Herman Spittal,	Isaac Hiester,
John H. Brown,	John Sullivan,	Charles W. Hathaway,	Davis A. Palmer,	L. Cunaingham,	John Sullivan,
Edward G. Schieffelin,	John B. Coulston,	James Mansel,	Conrad J. Rechsteine,	J. F. Gingenbach,	John B. Coulston,
William C. McConnell,	Alphonsus Walsh,	B. Budd Cannon,	Arthur J. Dennis,	C. Schleicher,	Alphonsus Walsh,
W. Scott Alexander,	Samuel Z. Hawbecker,	Jeremiah Sowers Yaukey,	Frank R. Field,	J. Devine,	Samuel Z. Hawbecker,
John Hays,	Robert E. Weigley,	John D. Graybill,	William A. Stroup,	A. Black,	Robert E. Weigley,
William Lauder,	Lucian D. Woodruff,	Daniel Kloss,	John D. Orrilp,	Joseph Mullen,	Lucian D. Woodruff,
George L. Deardorff,	Nevin M. Wanner,	John Henry Hector,	Elmer H. Young,	E. R. Markley,	Nevin M. Wanner,
James Orlando Brookbank,	Timothy E. Costello,	Elisha Kent Kane,	John A. Sturgis,	John A. Barron,	Timothy E. Costello,
John H. Negley,	William T. Mechling,	Edwin R. Worrell,	Patrick Smith,	John Klen,	William T. Mechling,
Isaiah Good,	Rockwell Marietta,	William Simpson Throckmorton,	Edward Kuppinger,	Jenkin James,	Rockwell Marietta,
William S. Parker,	Charles H. Akens,	Capt. M. S. Marquis,	Walter W. Rihl,	Harry Jenkins,	Charles H. Akens,
John C. Sturgeon,	James P. Colter,	George W. Fellows,	Julius Weber,	G. A. Brown,	James P. Colter,
Archibald Johnston,	M. Frank Coolbaugh,	Edward Everett Dixon,	Paul B. Wreath,	Aug. Clever,	M. Frank Coolbaugh,
J. Frank Graff,	Alfred W. Smiley,	John B. Bair,	Christian Sauer,	P. C. Tesson,	Alfred W. Smiley,
J. C. Millin,	S. E. Walker,	Henry C. Cockrum,	Frederick W. Skorsets,		S. E. Walker,
Charles W. Dahlinger,	Henry Meyer,	Thomas P. Hershberger,	Herman Lemke,		Henry Meyer,
Albert P. Burchfield,	Thomas B. Foley,	J. P. Knox,	Adolphus A. McKeen,		Thomas B. Foley,
J. Welfred Holmes,	George Heard,	J. J. Porter,	Harvey W. Shay,		George Heard,
William McConway,	Charles B. Payne,	Matthew H. Stevenson,	Francis J. Rogers,		Charles B. Payne,

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT (Mark 1.)		
John P. Elkin	Republican.	X
Samuel Gustine Thompson	Democratic and Independence	
A. A. Stevens	Prohibition.	
George W. Bacon	Socialist.	
Archibald A. Grant	Socialist Labor.	

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS (Mark 1.)		
Mial E. Lilley	Republican.	X
John Kuhbach	Democratic.	
William S. H. Heermans	Prohibition.	

SENATOR IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY (Mark 1.)		
Robert S. Edmiston	Republican.	
George W. Kipp	Democratic.	X

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY (Mark 3.)		
Louis T. Hoyt	Republican.	X
Nathan W. Pendleton	Republican.	X
Willard D. Morse	Republican.	X
Ira Finch	Democratic.	
James W. Burk	Democratic.	
John A. Morley	Democratic.	
Hampton Champlin	Prohibition.	
Charles P. VanDyke	Prohibition.	
Collins Wood	Prohibition.	

DISTRICT ATTORNEY (Mark 1.)		
Chas. E. Mills	Republican.	X
Stephen H. Smith	Democratic.	

COUNTY SURVEYOR (Mark 1.)		
Hiram E. Bull	Republican.	X
Nathan F. Walker	Democratic.	

REPUBLICAN BALLOT MARKED TO VOTE FOR GEORGE W. KIPP FOR STATE SENATOR

EVEN IF You had a NECK As long as this fellow and had SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN Tonsiline WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT.

TONSILINE is the greatest throat remedy on earth. Tonsiline cures Sore Throats of all kinds very quickly, and is a positive, never-failing and speedy cure for Sore Mouth, Hoarseness and Quinsy. A small bottle of Tonsiline lasts longer than most any case of SORE THROAT. 25 and 50 cents at all druggists.
THE TONSILINE CO. CANTON, OHIO.

BOGUS WEDDING NOTICE.

Honesdale Paper Gives Forcible Remarks on Topic.

The Honesdale newspapers were victimized last week, by a bogus wedding notice, apparently authenic, sent by some malignant, petty souled blackguard, in which Paul Cramer and May Ogden, of Clinton, were named as the contracting parties. The law provides a penalty for such acts, and if the perpetrator in the present case can be detected, the Honesdale publishers will cheerfully undergo the necessary trouble and expense to apply it.

There is a story of an editor who, after publishing a bogus report of a death, announced that thereafter he should publish no notice of death unless it was brought in by the person deceased. Without going to this length, death and wedding notices, hereafter, other than those sent by our regular corespondents, must be properly authenticated before being published.—Honesdale Citizen.

Evans-Mower.

William H. Evans, for two or three years local editor of the Oneida Union and later on the editorial staff of the Sayre, Pa., Daily Times and the Rome Sentinel, was united in marriage, with Miss Ellen L. Mower, of Camden, on Saturday evening, Oct. 22. Mr. Evans is at present in the employ of the Central New York Telephone company. Mr. and Mrs. Evans will make Oneida Castle their home, after a short bridal trip.

Stage Manager Grant.

The Waverly correspondent of the Sayre Times says that Louis Grant, stage manager of the Waverly Dramatic club, is a very busy man these days. Through his hard work and persistent efforts the Y. M. C. A. hall is being transformed into an attractive playhouse.

Mr. Grant is a former Towanda young man and has always taken a keen interest in theatricals.

Finished His Naval Service.

John Berger, Jr., has returned to the home of his father, Sergeant John Berger, in Towanda, after completing over four years service in the United States navy. Young Mr. Berger retires from the navy with the rank of a first class apprentice, and during his service has visited nearly every part of the world.

No Mischief Permitted.

Chief of Police Miller will have a number of special policemen on duty on Monday night to prevent any Hallowe'en depredations. Any one seen carrying off any property and caught doing such stunts as dropping flour on passersby will be given a chance to face the burgess in the morning.

Surprised Mr. Jettles.

A number of friends pleasantly surprised S. Jettles of Sayre last Saturday evening, it being the occasion of the anniversary of his birthday. They presented him with a handsome rocker as a token of his many friends. Refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening spent.

Swallowed Arsenic.

Because of jealousy of his wife, Pearl Ellis of Sayre, took a dose of arsenic on Saturday afternoon with the intention of ending his life. The wife, however, suspected that he had used poison and sent for a physician. The doctor gave Ellis antidotes and soon had him out of danger.

Death of Chester Carter

Chester Carter died Sunday afternoon at his home in the alley in the rear of C. P. Welles's. Death was due to consumption. He was 53 years of age and leaves a wife. Funeral services were held on Tuesday with interment at Greenwood.

In Mac Ward's Sheet.

An Athens man dreamed for two nights that he was going to marry a certain girl. Believing in the superstition that if the same dream occurred three nights that it would come true, he sat up all night to stave it off.—Laceyville Messenger.

Death of Mrs. Stockwell.

Mrs. Ida Stockwell died on Friday night at her home on Packer avenue of heart trouble. Deceased was about 52 years of age. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house with interment in Cole's cemetery.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Hon. O. D. Kinney of Duluth is a Ward House guest.

Charles Woodin of Waverly spent Sunday in Towanda.

Miss Eliza Shaut of Laporte, spent Tuesday in Towanda.

Born on Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. William Burchill, a son.

Patrick Lynch of Ladsburg was an Ochs House guest Tuesday.

I. P. Spalding has returned from a trip to the St. Louis exposition.

M. B. Haight of Burlington was a guest at the Ochs House Monday.

Mrs. John McIntyre is quite seriously ill at her home on William street.

Mrs. Nettie Horton of North Rome, has gone to Buffalo to spend the Winter.

G. H. Wilcox of New Albany was a guest at the New Park hotel Monday.

J. O. Nichols of Mt. Lake was registered at the New Park hotel Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Whaling and son Henry of Ohio, are visiting relatives in North Rome.

McKean D. Lilley of Canton has been granted a pension of $17 per month.

R. J. Thomson, Esq., of Dushore was in town Monday and registered at the Tidd House.

Miss Cassada has removed from Mrs. D. S. Pratt's to A. C. Blackwell's on Chestnut street.

Mrs. M. A. Walters and Miss Mary Walters of Tunkhannock are visiting relatives in Towanda.

Miss Mae Wood and Miss Lella Magee of New Albany were registered at the Tidd House on Saturday.

Henry Streeter, Esq., and John C. Ingham, Esq., have returned from a visit to the St. Louis exposition.

E. E. Walter, a former well known Towandian, now of Chicago, was registered at the Ochs House Friday.

Dr. T. Beniamin Johnson of the Packer hospital is on a week's vacation in Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Miss Isabella Woodburn spent Saturday night and Sunday here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. M. Woodburn.

Mrs. J. W. Norconk, Mrs. L. J. Schrann and Mrs. O. Steele of Wilmot were Tidd house guests on Saturday.

Ralph H. Miller of Tioga county, this state, has been visiting his brother, Chief of Police M. E. Miller, here for a few days.

Mrs. O. A. Baldwin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Willis Pierson at Bloomfield, N. J., and spending a few days in New York city.

Mrs. Joseph R. Beebe of Montrose spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Towanda last week as the guest of Mrs. Head on State street.

Mrs. H. M. Calagan has returned to her home after spending three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Philip E. Blum, in Dansville, N. Y.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Lewis will serve a New England dinner at the Grange hall at Wysox on Thursday, Nov.3. All are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Aldrich, Mrs. H. Wilson and Master George Felton attended the graduating exercises for the trained nurses of the Robert Packer hospital at Sayre.

SUN SPOTS Prevented By Cuticura SOAP

Assisted by CUTICURA Ointment, the great Skin Cure, and purest and sweetest of Emollients.

For sunburn, heat-rash, tan, freckles, pimples, blotches, blackheads, red, rough, and oily skin, bites and stings of insects; for cleansing the hair and scalp of crusts, scales, and dandruff; for baby rashes, itchings, and chafings; for many sanative, antiseptic purposes that appeal to mothers, as well as for all purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery, CUTICURA Soap, assisted by CUTICURA Ointment, the great Skin Cure, are priceless.

N. B. Complete External and Internal treatment for every Humor, from Pimples to Scrofula, from Infancy to Age, consisting of CUTICURA Soap, Ointment, and Pills, price, the set, One Dollar, may now be had of all druggists.

Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, 25c., Ointment, 50c., Resolvent, 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60). Depots: London, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, 5 Rue de la Paix; Boston, 137 Columbus Ave. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props.

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Use Ayer's Hair Vigor and restore to your gray hair all the deep, dark, rich color of early life. Then be satisfied.

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$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Dark Hair

LEHIGH VALLEY.

Catering To Local Rather Than Through Traffic.

The Lehigh Valley is reported to be very short of box cars this fall, due largely to the policy of the road in catering to local rather than to a through traffic. This local traffic is immensely important to Lehigh, in particular that in agricultural products in New York State. This and the transportation of the products of local industries are being fully cared for somewhat to the detriment of through traffic on the road.

This change in traffic policy has resulted in a considerably less tonnage per car and it is expected that this decrease will be a feature in next year's annual report together with a large increase in the tonnage of agricultural products and live stock.

Coal tonnage is fair, that to the west is very good and likely to remain so until the close of navigation, while to the east the movement is small by reason of the mild weather.

SUIT OVER A HORSE.

Eureka Milling Company Wants Damages for Alleged Negligence.

On Thursday Sheriff Robinson arrested B. Rosenbloom, a junk man of this place, on a writ of caplas in an action of trespass begun by the Eureka Milling company of Monroeton. Rosenbloom furnished bonds in the sum of $500. The suit is over injuries to a horse which resulted from the alleged negligece of Rosenbloom. bloom.

It appears that Mr. Leet of the milling company was driving home the other night and when near Willard Shiner's in South Towanda, was run into by Rosenbloom. Mr. Leet claims that the junk man was on the wrong side of the road. The thill of Rosenbloom's wagon struck the horse driven by Mr. Leet a terrific blow and after penatrating the animal's breast some 26 inches protruded two feet beyond. The action in trespass is to recover for the injuries to the horse.

Republican Meetings.

M. E. Lilley, Esq., Republican nominee for Congress from this district, and Dr. D. Leonard Pratt, burgess of Towanda, addressed a Republican rally at Evergreen Friday night. Both are entertaining speakers and among the best in this section. Mr. Lilley will speak in a number of places this week, among them at White Mills, Wayne county, Monday night, at Hawley, Tuesday night and at Montrose on Friday night. J. Roy, Lilley, Esq., the Republican county chairman for next year, who has been spending some time in West Virginia, has gone on the stump in that state for Roosevelt & Fairbanks.

A Woman's Corporation.

For the first time in Elmira's history a company composed entirely of ladies has been incorporated at Albany, and on Saturday the certificate was filed in the county clerk's office. "The Thomas Delant Company," composed of Mrs. Thomas Delant and her three daughters, Mrs. L. V. Paul, Miss Helen and Mrs. Mary Corcoran of Toledo, Ohio, is the new concern. They continue the livery and hack business established by Mr. Delant about 1878.

Morse—Rathbun.

Daisy M. Rathbun, of Granville, and Delancey J. Morse, of East Troy, were married Wednesday night of last week at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robert, corner of College and Kingsbury avenue, Elmira, N. Y., the Rev. C. C. Crawford performing the ceremony.

Made Fine Bag.

One of the finest bags of game made in this section in a long time is that captured by Port Gregg and Hugh Curran near the Overshot on Wednesday of last week when they secured nine Mallard ducks, eight grouse, four quail, and four woodcock.

Death at Athens.

Gershom Winans died at his home at Athens on Oct. 25, aged 56 years. The deceased suffered a paralytic stroke some time ago and had been confined to the house since. He is survived by the widow and three daughters.

Postponed Visit.

Washington Camp No. 190, P. O. S. of A. of this place, which was to go to Franklindale on Saturday evening of this week has postponed the visit until Saturday evening, Nov. 5.

DIED IN KANSAS.

Clinton E. Wood, Formerly of East Smithfield, Passed Away.

Clinton E. Wood, formerly of East Smithfield, but for many years a resident of Burlingame, Kansas, died at his home in that place on Oct. 6, and was buried there Oct. 7. The services were conducted by E. P. Sheldon Post, G. A. R. Mr. Wood was born in East Smithfield, May 8, 1832. He was married Feb. 12, 1862, to Miss Freedom Niles, who alone survives him.

He enlisted in Company C, 171st Pennsylvania Volunteers, early in the war, and rose to the rank of captain. In March 1870, he emigrated to Burlingame, Kan., where he has since lived, and occupied many positions of trust. He was for several years the cashier of the Burlingame Savings bank, and later cashier of the Bank of Burlingame. He was also a justice of the peace and township clerk for several terms.

He was always an active man and an exemplary citizen, upright and highly esteemed in the community. Two years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis and was helpless until the time of his death.

BATH MAN'S HARD LUCK.

Peculiar Run of Trouble That Has Followed John Ormsby.

John Ormsby, of Bath, N. Y., can certainly lay righteous claim to illluck, as proven by the events of the past few months. To begin with, his father, Richard Ormsby, one of the prominent farmers of the town, died a few months since, after an illness of but a few weeks. Two months ago his mother died very suddenly from apoplexy. Three days later his father-in-law, Richard Faucett, died from heart disease after an illness of but a few minutes.

Six days later his wife and mother-in-law were struck and quite seriously injured while driving across the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad tracks. And now last, it is hoped, Mr. Ormsby sustained a serious injury to his eyes the night of the Democratic meeting in Bath. He was playing in the Soldiers' Home band, of which he was a member, when someone accidentally fired a Roman candle in his face. It is feared the sight of one eye is seriously affected.

QUIET HOME WEDDING.

Celebrated at Bride's Home at Windham on Oct. 25.

A quiet home home wedding was solemnized at C. J. Goodnough's in Windham, Oct. 25, at 1 p. m., when their only daughter Mary was united in marriage to Arthur G. VanSlyke of Lestershire, N. Y., Rev. J. B. Davis, officiating, the ring ceremony being used.

The bride was dressed in white silk with small tucks and lace, ornamented with white rose buds. Miss Edith Hollenback of Binghamton, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore pink albatross and white carnations. Leon Goodnough, brother of the bride, was best man. Only a few of the nearest relatives and most intimate friends were present. The floral decorations of both parlor and dining room were very pretty. Mr. and Mrs. VanSlyke received many valuable gifts. After a short wedding trip they will reside in Lestershire.

Defines Position.

To the Voters of the Fourteenth Congressional District:

Having received a large number of inquiries in relation to my position in regard to the repeal of the Grout Bill, I have thought best to announce my position publicly that there may be no mistake in regard to it.

I am unalterably opposed to the repeal of the Grout Bill. I believe that it is a wise measure and my vote and such influence as I may be able to exert will be to keep it upon the statute books. Mial E. Lilley.

Towanda, Pa., October 28, 1904.

Hallowe'en Fairly Quiet.

Towanda had a fairly quiet Hallowe'en. The usual trick of stealing gates and tipping over horse blocks was indulged in, but serious depredations were absent as far as the police were informed. A very seditious election banner was suspended across Main street and was not removed until the middle of the morning yesterday. It had on it a skull and crossbones and a badge of mourning for the candidate against whom it was directed.

"Lafayette's Grand Old Man."

Professor Francis Andrew March, L. H .D., D. C. L., Litt. D., head of the department of English and philology at Lafayette college, celebrated his 79th birthday last Tuesday. The senior class presented him with 79 American Beauty roses—one for each year of his age. Dr. March is spoken of in the college community and by citizens of Easton as "Lafayette's Grand Old Man."

Barn Burned.

On Friday night a large barn owned by Clarence Wheaton in Vawter was entirely destroyed by fire. E. M. Miller occupies the farm and claims that he lost $1,400 in hay, grain, tools, etc., with an insurance of $1,000. The building was worth about $1,000 on which there was $400 insurance.

Death of Fred Frank.

Fred Frank, for 20 years a resident of Canton, died at the home of his daughter in Auburn, N. Y., on Oct. 23. The remains were interred at Canton on Monday.

Shot an Owl.

John Bustin of South Ghent shot an owl on Saturday that measured six feet from tip to tip.

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